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# CHINESE HERO IN EMPRESS OF JAPAN

The "Empress of Japan" was brought safely to port owing to the coolness and heroism of Captain Thomas and her Chinese quartermaster.
This is disclosed now that

the ship, so well known in the Far East, has arrived safely at her destination.

The only sign of the attack by the German bomber is a slightly damaged rail, suffered when one bomb struck the rall-a-glancing blow, and a few lifeboats, which were hit by machine-gun bullets. One of the crew, describing

the captain's coolness, said: "The skilful way in which he zigzagged the ship out of danger and avoided a direct hit, saved us all. "The Chinese quartermaster at

the wheel was a hero.

# 'Plane Hit

"Lying prone on his stomach to dodge machine-gun fire, he carried out perfectly overy order from the skipper."

After one shell had burst under one of the raider's wings, the plane was seen to be rocking. and the gunners of the "Empress of Japan" are certain the raider did not get away unscathed. -Reuter.

# MOLOTOV CROSSES FRONTIER

M. Molotov, who is due DID arrived in German territory at Molkinia last evening, accompanied by the people who were trapped German Ambassador to Moscow, Baron von Schulenburg, raccording to skyscraper appear to have D.N.B.

He was received by the Poople's Protocol, Doemberg, and the Chief of Staff, of the Luchrer's, Deputy, SS Leader Stenger.

"M. Molotov will be met at the ster on Bunday! station in Berlin to-day by Rib- - It is deared that they have tion. Hundreds of Villages are bentrop, says the report.

ton," Ribbentrop has gone to the Carlton Building alone. News from the provinces adds Koenigsberg to meet Molotov. - More than a thousand badly hourly to the total death-roll. -

# Pie For Hurricane ITALIANS Squadron: Axis Has Bad Day In Air

"ARK ROYAL" IN ACTION

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AT SARDINIA Aircraft from the

"Ark Royal" delivered a bombing attack yesterday on the harbour and aerodrome of Cagliari in Sardinia.

It is officially recorded only that bombs were dropped in the turget area, that explosions and fires were observed, and that the Italians retaliated by attacking the Ark Royal but made no hit, caused no casualties and no damage.

Two Italian aircraft were destroyed by British fighters which suffered no losses. ---Reuter.

# BUCHAREST. RESCUE

Hopes of saving thirty alive beneath the ruins of the Carlton Building been abandoned.

The last voice has coased to coply: on the telephone wine which had enabled the trapped to communicate with re- have been evacuated.

now been asphyxiated. According to the Berlin correst Latest estimates show that at ground. Tens of thousands of pundent of the "Basier Nachrich- least 207 people were killed in peasants are homeless."

damaged houses in Bucharos. Reuter,

ARMISTICE DAY was celebrated with decisive victories over the air forces of the Axis. Up to four o'clock yesterday afternoon, R.A.F. had destroyed thirteen Italian planes and 13 German planes, all over the British Isles.

In the course of these combats, the Royal Air Force lost only two planes. It is officially announced that some of the Italian airmen, brought down in the Thames Estuary, were taken prisoner.

The thirteen Italian machines shot down consisted of seven bombers and six fighters.

Channel and they were met by

and dispersed by the R.A.F.'s

reinforced fighter patrols.-Reu-

First Real Proof

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Many enemy formations were; was accompanying, for the maxiover South-east England during mum speed of the CR 42 is about the day and were heading for 273 m.p.h.—which does not exrondon-but they were all routed [ceed-that of the Caproni-135.and only a few 'planes succeeded | It is small wonder that the entire formation was easy meat for in reaching the capital.

London observed the Two Min- the much faster Hurricanes. utes' Silence with bowed heads Before noon, the Germans had during one of the many alerts. sent over three large formations

Further affeld, fierce air battles of fighter-bombers over the were being a ged over men and women everywhere standing at attention.

# Attack On Shipping

It is not clear, writes Reuter's air correspondent, what part, if any, the Italians took in the raids on London itself. The Air Ministry communique deals only with German attempts to reach London, in the morning, and, during German attacks on South-East Coast towns in the afternoon. with an Italian aftempt to attack shipping in the Thames Estuary.

# Eight Shot Down

Eight Italian aircraft were shot down in this combat by a single squadron of Hurricanesnearly all fell into the sea.

One, which ended its career on land, crashed on a rifle range many miles away, at Woodbridge, Suffolk. Five members of the crew were taken prisoner, two of them with serious injuries. The sixth member of the crew was killed.

"This formation" which is be-Heved to be the first exclusive. ly Italian formation to raid Britain is understood; adds Reuter's air correspondent, to have consisted of twin-engined Caproni 135 bombers and Flat CR 42 fightors.

# Easy Weat

The fighter escort was just able to liceop up with the bombers. i

cous workers alnow the disas- Travellers recount that the oil fields -are: a spectacle of desola-

# FLEE IN DISORDER

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

Italian troops in the western Ionian coastal area are reported in Athens to be fleeing in a disorderly retreat.

They were hurled back in confusion after Greek troops defending the Janina region crushingly deseated two Fascist units.

Two mechanised battalions are reported to have been completely routed in a bloody battle, which took place just south of the Kalamas River.—International News Service.

# U-BOATS BOMBED AT BASE

"(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

The Air Ministry announces that the Royal Air Force has again violently bombed Lorient, which is the main German submarine base for attacks on shipping in the Atlantic.

Several U-boats are reported to The first real proof that Italian have received direct hits during aircraft have been taking part in the raid. - International News Service:



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# Carazianis Invasion Plans Regarded As Nigh Impossible

Britain<sup>5</sup>s Middle East Campaign

(By Reuter's Military Correspondent)

STEADY PROGRESS AND CONTINUED IM-PROVEMENT IS THE THEME OF A STATE-MENT ABOUT THE MIDDLE EAST WHICH WAS ISSUED IN LONDON YESTERDAY.

It is a situation which should be regarded in retrospect "counting our many difficulties, because General Wavell has had a 200 温度 一种特别是我性性性 heavy task."

French resistance.

diate in Europe, was not so im- any attack. mediate in all parts of the Middle East. It spread outwards from one centre until one huge area after another, which began resistance, slowly fell until even fateful Djibuti (where General Gentilhonume, true to his name

and last to hold out) gave way. The French forces were larger than the British and the Anglo-French plans were made jointly. In all theatres, they had agreed

to bear a considerable portion of l the common effort.

General Wavell had to reorganise his plans without French help and it is, with this in mind, that the following statement, issued yesterday, should be considered.

# Desert Attack

The Italian advance across the desert to attack Alexandria is so difficult an operation as to be almost impossible.

"In addition, British troops in the Middle East have been steadily--reinforced--in--number--and equipment until to-day they form what is described about as good an army as one could hope to

Where the Italians are weak is in their tactical training, which is regarded as inferior to that of the l British troops.

# All The Moves

The British position in the western desert has immensely improved in the last few months. Both armament and defences are better and the men know all the moves in desert warfare. If the Germans are able to reinforce the Italians on this front, it will take them some time to attain proficiency in this type of fighting.

It is believed there are no German troops in Libya at present! except technicians and probably advisers. The Italians are using to lose their tin openers for mainly the forward area. They while, by Mr. Leslie Pym. Parliaare not getting much material mentary Secretary to the Minand oil into Libya but they are Istry of Food, when he opened a believed to have accumulated "kitchen front" substantial reserves.

Now, with the British using "Don't use tinned food when Crete as a naval base, Italian difficulties, should Libya not be reinforced, would be even greater.

# Arduous Campaign

British difficulties are not concerned with manpower. The quality of the troops is excellent and they have been steadily reinforced from New Zealand, 'Australia and India as well as from Britain.

It is the staff's intention to maintain a stream of armoured weapons and aeroplanes to be able to strike at the point calculated to do the enemy most damage.

Military, experts in London, however, expect the campaign in of pro-det Gaulle followers the Middle East to be an arduous Snigon, and a hard fought struggle of The Vichy Government is exmany phases.

As to Gibraltar's position, there, ernor-General soon.—Reuter.

Only a few months ago, he had Forces there have been working to deal with the collapse of like beavers, strengthening defences and they are confident of That collapse, though imme-being able to successfully resist

## **Vital Points**

The following are vital points with stout assurances of continued in the coming Middle East cam-

aign:
(1) At all costs, Britain mas, retain its hold on Egypt because the strategic importance of the light and th enemy must be beaten her depends cause on British victory depends her ability to help her friends. enemy must be beaten here be-

assist Greece.

(3) At the earliest moment that resources allow, Britain will strike the enemy at the will strike the enemy at the point which will do him most injury and strike with all her power.

The liaison between the Army and R.A.F. in the Western Desert is excellent and the Air Force has shown a tactical superiority over the Italians.

# Italians Sensitive

In East Africa, the Italians are sensitive -- about -- the -- Abyssinian front as their violent reaction to the British capture of Galabat ter, appealing for support proves. Galabat is important as of his scheme to establish an entry to Abyssinia and the Italians have used a great number a "Free Shanghai." of 'planes in their counter-attacks.

tain can never allow Syria to fall in Shanghai would make the city into hostile hands, it is affirmed, an independent community and a The conditions under the exist-! free city. ing regime appear to be fairly stable.—Reuter.

"Tin can wives" were advised campaign Cardiff.

(resh food is available," he said. Expert scientists and housewives had cooperated with the Government to discover the most valuable dishes and best ways of cooking them, and the Government was spreading this knowledge abroad.

"It was not the roast beef of England that made our ancestore," said Mr. Pym, "but homemade bread and cheese.

"Bread, milk, oatmeal, cheese and fresh vegetables will keep your man in perfect health. Leave tinned food alone for the COUX, GOVERNOR-GENERAL present,"

# (Continued from next Col.)

pected to appoint a new Gov- is said to be the increasing dif- use their leisure to go from shop essential of armament produc-

powerful in the last few months, that this is a Japanese report.



Many feet below a mansion in the S.E. district, a night she ter, accommodating about eight families, has now been built. Here parents and their children get all the rest that they need for the noise of London's barrage of anti-aircraft guns cannot be heard. The shelter has been equipped with all conveniences and cooking facilities, and the residents are able to regard it almost as a home from home. Photo shows them sleeping in safety. (Copyright, Fox).

Considerable comment was caused in Shanghai advertisement appearing in an evening paper and in other countries. signed "Elly" Widler, wellknown Shanghai charac-

This tschome which Widler has Syria presents difficulties. Bri- already expounded in the Press

> The advertisement begins with the passage: "They are calling it a lost city, this great metropolis whose welfare is your welfare. Already some are being torn away —'evacuated' under governmental pressure. As time goes on many more will be uprooted for the Powers see a crisis rising in the Pacific and are abandoning the city to the fortunes of war. It is your city they are abandoning. Why should they? . . . . This is the first time a working plan has been set forth to rescue Shanghai . . . . There would be no fear of war.

be withdrawn to a radius of 50 In the Rhineland plate glass Shanghai would grow with no obstacle to stop growth." — Reu-

· VICE-ADMIRAL JEAN DE-OF FRENCH INDO-CHINA, RE-SIGNED YESTERDAY, ACCORD-ING TO A JAPANESE REPORT QUOTED BY REUTER."

ernor-General on June 26 by picture: the Vichy Government.

Column)

# GERMAN WIVES FORCED FACTORIES

All through the years of Hitler terror, men and women of the old yesterday by a full-page free German Trade Unions have risked their lives in order to maintain contact with comrades

To-day, with other European countries under Nazi-tyranny, the work goes on.

The International Transport Workers Federation, which has now established headquarters at Bidford, receives these messages by devious means. Their secret organisation, designed to defeat the Gestapo in the years of peace, has remained in being since war broke out:

The picture, painted by the latest reports, is of a sullen, discontented working class, not in the least exultant at Nazi triumphs.

The reports also dispose of Nazi claims that there is equal sacrifice; bedrooms I have, and people can in the Third Reich. Krupp, German armament king, who financed Hitler against the "Communist menace," received a visit from Hitler and the highest Nazi decoration on his recent 70th hirth-

"Under the Kaiser," comments the I.T.W.F. reporter, "Krupp did not get beyond the Red Eagle or-"Flung open to trade, the city der second class. Since the Nazi would be safe-guarded from at- regime, the frequency of accidents tacks from any side. The Powers in the Krupp works has increased

miles. Inside this new frontier, industry wages of women workers have just been reduced from 9d. to 6d. an hour. In the stone and earthenware industry protective legislation has been cancelled and girls and women may now be End hatel saidt "Many patrons" employed on the heaviest carrying work. Wives and mothers of men in the Forces are being fast, then allow them to sleep for forced into the munitions in in one of hours in their beddustry, to undergo overlong hours rooms. at sweated rates of pay under the tracking the practice of the threat of being deprived of main- hotel, but in these days I close my tenance allowances.

# Blockade Effect

Decoux was appointed Gov- And on the other side of the more fortunate countrywomen

"Womenfolk of the well-to-do, The blockade has deprived." When working women have an lof blood poisoning.

# 'NIGHT-DAY' DUTY FOR HOTELS BEDS

Central London hotels now have a "Box Cox" population. People are using hotel bedrooms to snatch a few hours' sleep in the daytime while the usual patrons of the hotels are at busi-

By this ingenious mehod they are defeating Goering's keep-youawake" night raiding squadrons." \_Some-of-the---people-borrow-a

bedroom or even a mattress in a storeroom for three or four hours'

"I was dubious about allowing this practice when people first approached me," the manager of a large hotel in West Central London told a reporter. "It throws extra work on my staff, and is not fair to the hotel patrons.

"But to my surprise both staff ; and patrons were wholeheartedly; in favour of letting people sleep in rooms in the daytime.

"Now I put extra mattresses in ... my storerooms and the few empty .. lock away their valuables in the hotel office while they smatch a few hours' rest."

# "The Doliar Flops"

The manageress, of a small commercial hotel near one of the big railway stations said: "Most of." my business in the last three. months has been of this nature. People are unable to catch train connections and want a fewwould guarantee this, for in this sharply from year to year. Pro- hours' sleep, so I arrange for them way they would guarantee their fits are increasing at a still faster to us a bed for a few hours at own interests. All armies would rate." a reduced charge. "I now have a long list of

regulars and they can themselves 'The Dollor Flops' an f charge thom flye chillings for a sleep, bath and a moal."

. The manager of a large West! have their friends come into the hotel in the morning for break-

eyes to the irregularity."

opportunity of doing their shopping, they find only what their have left."

The reason for his resignation wearing large swastika brooches, Germany of benzol derivatives, an sculties created by a strong group to shop in the morning hours tion. Subt lutes now in use it had been made even more contit needs to be emphasised (Continued at foot of preceding bilying up all unrationed goods, produce an incurable condition

# NAZS PUTTNE ON

Little Political Result Likely In Molotov Visit

# Striving For Pool As Between U.S. And Britain R.A.F. MAKE

(By Reuter's Diplomatic Correspondent) IT IS CONSIDERED unlikely that there will be any dramatic political developments from M. Molotov's visit to Berlin.

Nevertheless, the Germans are obviously anxious to suggest certain possibilities, as is evident from their reference to the presence of Herr von Papen, Nazi Ambassador to Turkey.

The German propaganda machine is doing its best to build up a circumstantial case,

Ribbentrop is going to the frontier to meet M. Molotov and Berlin will doubtless put on its most festive garb, so far as this is permitted by the Royal Air Force.

The fact that M. Molotov is accompanied by thirty-two experts tells its own story of the course the negotiations are likely to pursue. There-are experts in trade, metallurgy, agriculture - in a word, all the raw materials that Russia produces, as well as specialists in aircraft production.

Germany is obviously trying to stage a demonstration whereby an attempt would be made for Russian resources to be pooled, something on the lines of Britain's arrangement with the United Staxs.

# Russian Policy

But both Kalinin and Timoshenko have just made speeches in which they have emphasised Russia's determination to be strong and neutral. It would be surprising if Russia suddenly turned her back on this policy.

The governing factor in her recent policy has been consideration for her own interests. She ing tribes in the Nile valley and is determined to keep out of the desert met in Cairo yesterday and war and will doubtless do every- expressed their determination to thing to preserve her neutrality. fight in the defence of Egypt. --- Reuter.

# DANZIG RAIDED

FOR THE FIRST TIME. DAN-TIG HAS BEEN RAIDED BY THE R.A.F., IN ONE OF THE LONGEST RAIDS MADE OVER GERMANY AND GERMAN OC-CUPIED TERRITORY.

The distance to Danzig and back home is well over 2,000 miles.

Mannheim, Essen and Gelsenkirchen also came in for "treat-

Mannheim is the town where the famous Krupp works are situated and was subjected to a 4-hour raid a few nights ago, while Gelsenkirchen's oil plants have been raided over 30 times. Reuter.

# ARABS TO FIGHT FOR EGYPT

Fifty Arab chieftains represent-Reuter.



The Nazis failed to find the Nightingale when they bombed Berkeley Square and they slso missed an owl (stuffed) that is. resident there. (Copyright, Forx).

British 'planes operating from Greek air fields have again bombed cmbarkation points in Ital and Albania and have joined the Greek 'planes in attacking supply trains and troops behind the enemy front line, says a message from Athens.

Greece has had two days' respite from air raids, but a small ( fillage on the island of Crete was pombed on Sunday. No material lamage was done.

In the few days tine: British forces arrived in Crete, it has become a strongly defended icland and British guns manned by veteran troops are guarding the steep hills.

Yesterday morning, an Italian homber was shot down near Kandia, Crete's main city.

This is the first enemy machine to be brought down in Crete. -

# FIRST

"Gentlemen first" is the motto of Stoke Newington authorities, who are considering equipping air raid shelters with sleeping accommodation.

An official explained: "The men have to work during the day, when most women can make up for their lost sleep during the night:"

Bunks for babies are also to be provided.

The official continued: prolonged night raids has made in necessary, for us to provide some accommodation for the babies.

"Mothers cannot nurse them in their arms all night, so we have devised a sort of nest where the babies will sleep in tiers and they will not take up much floor space."

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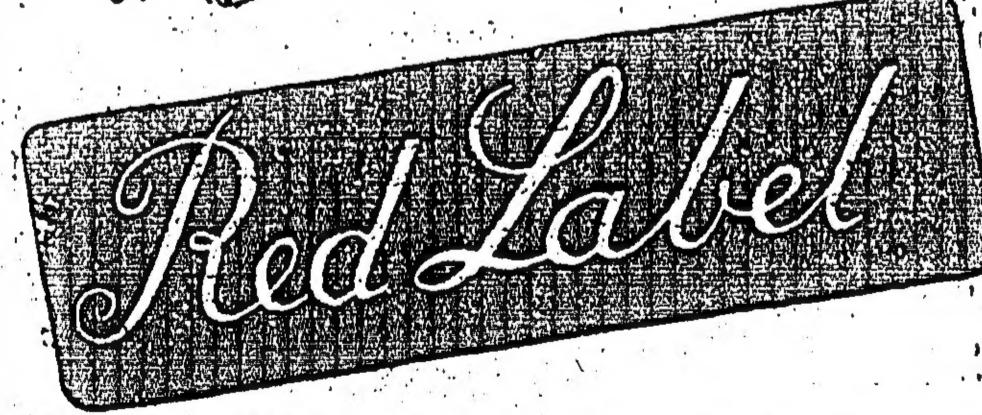
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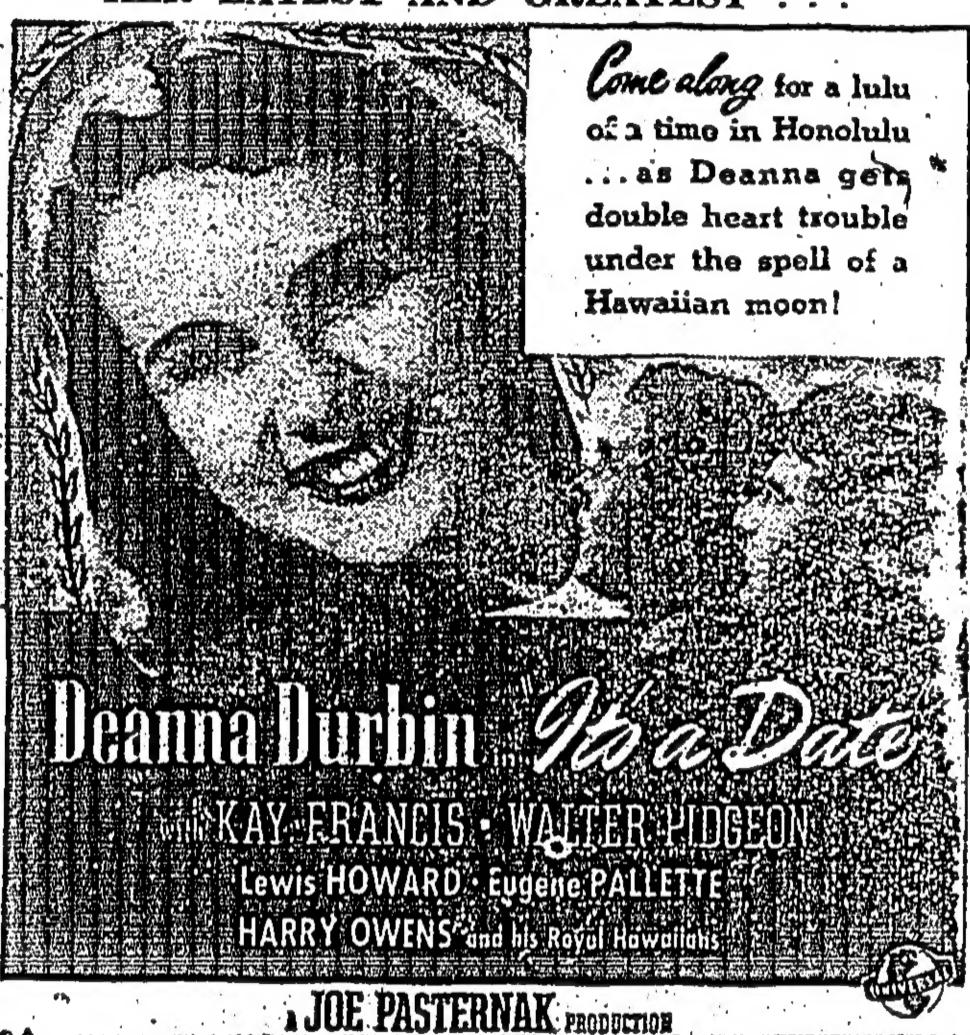
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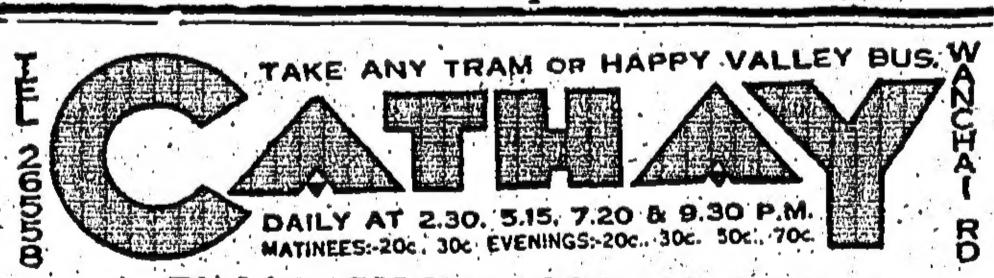
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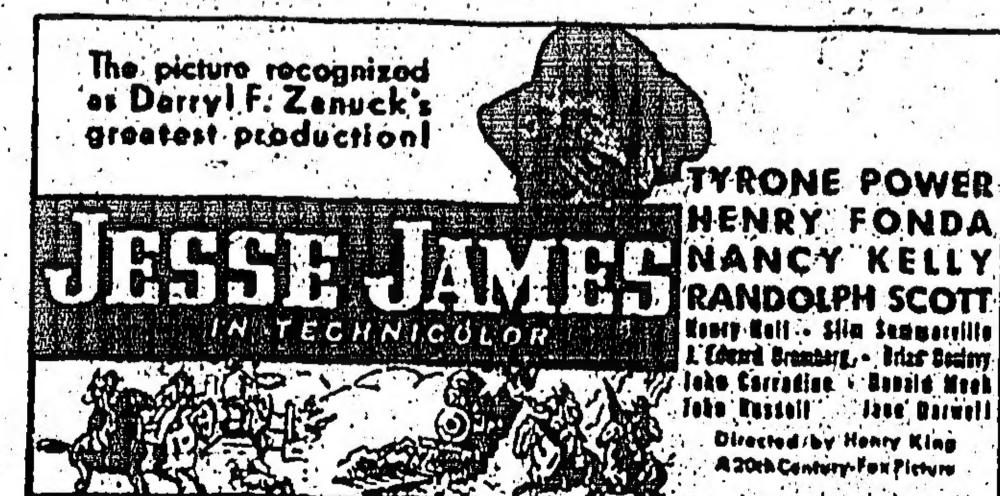
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He expressed faith that democracy, in spite of all, would survive.

"I, for one, do not believe that the world will revert to a modern form of ancient slavery, or to controls vested in modern feudalism or modern empires for modern dictators or modern oligarchies in these days.

"People under their iron heels ill themselves rebels," said Prewill themselves rebels," said President Roosevelt.

In what was his first public speech since his re-election, President Roosevelt denounced "unpatriotic efforts" which he said had been made by some Americans since the Great War, "to make us believe that the 'sacrifices made by our nation were made wholly in vain."

In 1914, a definite effort was made in part of the world to destroy democracy. That effort was designed to substitute the doctrine that might makes right.

## Democracy Preserved

"The attempt failed 22 years ago to-day. A hundred years from now, historians will say rightly that the Great War prescried the new order of the ages for at least a whole generation.

of 1918 had been successful in a vant in our firm," the secretary military victory over the associated nations, resistance on behalf of democracy in 1940 would have been wholly impossible," said the President.

America was, therefore, proud of its share in maintaining the era of democracy in that war, in which they took part.

# Needs Of To-day

To-day "we - recognise certain facts of 1940 which did not exist in 1918—the need for the elimination of aggressive armaments, the need for the breaking down of barriers in a more closely knit world, the need for restoring honour in the written and spoken word.

"We recognise that the processes of the democracies must be greatly improved in order that we may attain those purposes."-- Reu-

# R.A.F.'S NEXT PROBLEM

Big black four-engined 'planes have been seen among the large formations of German aircraft during recent raids in the South.

Those who have seen the 'planes say they look like the troop-carriers which Germany used during operations in Norway and Denmark, but air experts point out it is extremely difficult for the layman to recognise types; of new machines, and nothing definite can; be known until one of them has been brought down or E photograph taken from the air.

It may be that they are large bombers developed on the lines of the four-engined bombers which Germany was known to possess before the war, but which were regarded as a failure.

. It is possible that the Germans, after further experiments, have evolved a four-engined boinber which they are giving tha try

Or perhaps, the muchines are the orthodox German troopcarriers and are making reconnaissances heavily protected by fighters.

BUT WHATEVER THEY ARE, THE RA.F. IS READY FOR

# overtired that you cannot sleep. WAS 79

For sixty-six years Mrs. Nightingale, of Bull Lane, Winchcom-lencouraged to get as much sleep be, Gloucestershire, has worked as possible. as a glazier at the Postlip Paper Mills, Winchcombe. Now aged seventy-nine, she has retired.

Each day she walked one and three-quarter miles from her cottage to work, and walked back children and give them sweets to again in the evening. She started suck. at eight and finished at five each

Her husband, who is still livling, has already retired from They would say that if the Axis work. "She is the oldest serof the paper mills stated.

> afraid of air raids. We gave her during the night. a pension.

hearing are good.

# HITLER'S LATEST

"If you usually sleep soundly for eight hours a night you will not expect to feel fit and lively if your rest ration is suddenly cut to four hours, but you can if you take it gradually, soon learn to do with far less sleep.

Remember these simple rules and Hitler's 'planes will soon cease to worry you. Allow yourself to doze in the train or bus on your way to and from work. Allow yourself to relax completely after your midday meal, even if you are still sitting in your chair. "If you are at home go into a quiet, darkened room and doze, don't worry if you seem to be so

If you sit or lie quietly you will be resting yourself just the same. "There is no need suddenly to start leading a hermit-like life. An occasional visit to a cinema or theatre, or even that trip to the

"local," is valuable relaxation. "Children must, of course, be

"When you take them to a shelter insist that they lie down and remain quiet. Babies are not a problem because they will sleep anyway, but put cotton wool pads in the ears of the older

Three elderly women—two aged about eighty-took shelter under "She has had very little time the stairs and were unharmed off, and would not have left us when a bomb damaged much of now, but she was getting a little their house in a Midland town

When a special constable told them that it was safe for them to "All the years she was here she come out, one, aged seventy-nine, sat in the same seat. She is still asked calmly, "Will you have a very active, and her sight and cup of coffee? I think the gas "stove is still here."



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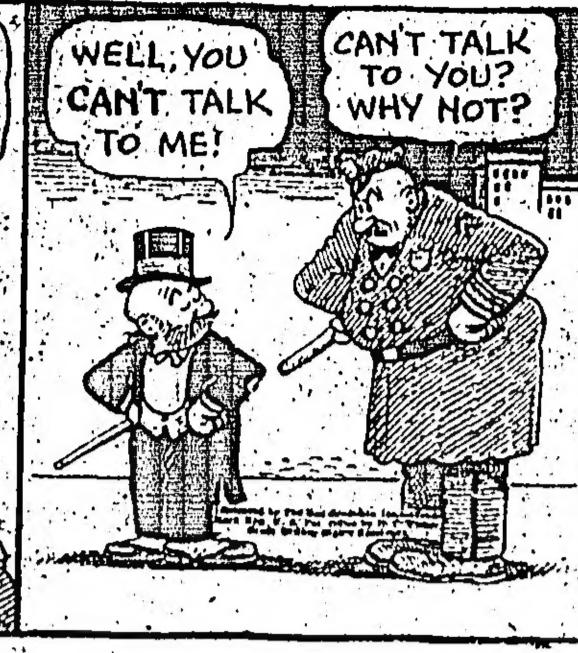


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# **Central Transmission** Part I (Eastern)

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The timings of the news in English are 11.00, 13.00, and 16.00 (African) ..... 16.55-22.25 GMT, GMT. Bulletins in French (11.15) Dutch (12.00 and 13.45), Portuguese (12.15), German (12.30), mission ...... 22.42-04.35 GMT and Spanish (12.45) are broad-(replacing Transmissions 5 and 6) cast on selected frequencies simultaneously with the English proa number of changes have been gramme. A special programme in Hindustani is broadcast each day between 14.00 and 14.30 GMT on newsletter in Burmese at 13.30 on every evening:-16.86 m, and 13.93 m.

## Central Transmission Part 2 (African)

Transmission 1. News in English | Serving Africa, Canada, and cordings of current events, at is broadcast at 06.15, 08.30, and North and South America, this 03.30. 09.45 GMT, and among the stan- Transmission includes news buldard programme features the letins in English at 18.00 and 20.45 British artists, at 01.15. talks intended for Australian or GMT, in Afrikaans at 18.30, in

with the English programme, a bulletin in Portuguese is radiated on selected wavelengths at 21,00. From 19.30 to 20.00, on 19.66 m., a programme for French-speaking listeners, 'Ici la France,' is broad-

A newsletter in Maltese (Saturdays, 17.00), news from New Zealand (alternate Mondays, 19.00), a request programme by Sandy Macpherson, BBC theatre organist (alternate Thursdays, 17.30) and a reproduction of a programme from New Zealand (every third Saturday, 17.40) both for the Forces in the Near East are standard features.

## North American Transmission

19:82 m. and 16.86 m., and news Primarily serving listeners in in Afrikaans between 16.30 and Canada and the U.S.A., the North 16.45 on 16.84 m, and 13.97 m. On American Transmission now inalternate Mondays, there is a cludes the following features

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03.00 ('Within the Fortress'). On weekdays at 00.15 the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's unit in London contributes programmes ranging from talks in English and French to 'quiz' competitions.

# DAMAGED

It is now revealed that a highexplosive bomb fell on the forecourt of the Houses of Parliament. between the public entrance and the peers' entrance in a recent air raid.

It blew in hundreds of leaded windows and smashed a 30ft, window at one end of Westminster Hall, and also part of the massive stone framing.

Stained-glass -windows on one side of the House of Lords' debating chamber were blown out and doors were torn from their hinges. Glass and metal rained down on the golden thrones used by their Majesties for the opening of Parliament, but the thrones were not scratched, although the surrounding carpets and walls were damaged....

More glass was broken in the lobbies and cloak-rooms of the House of Commons, Flying splinters caused three "wounds" on the western face of Big Ben, but "Big Ben Time" still shows on all four sides.

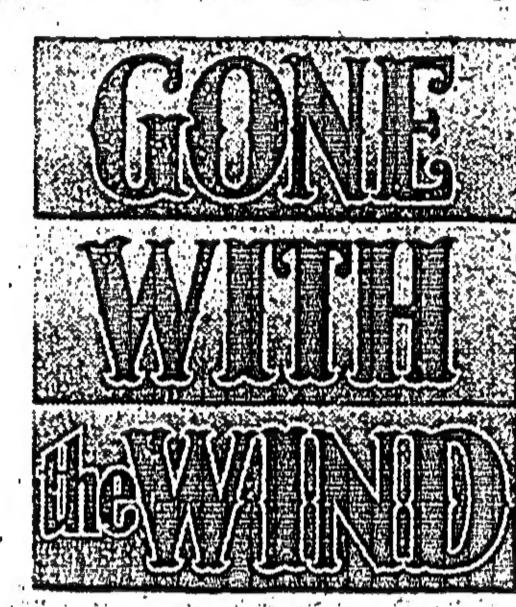
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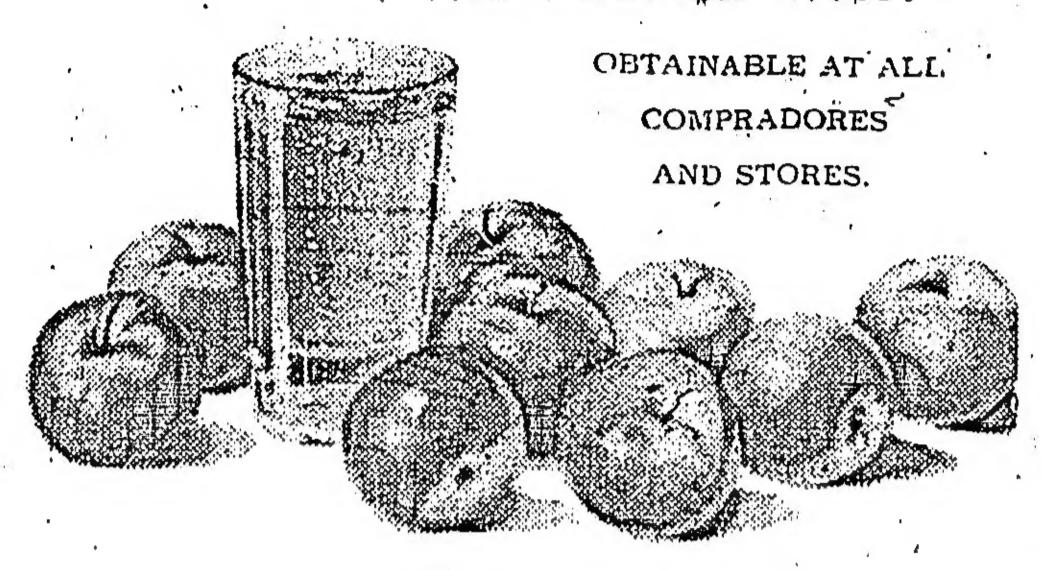
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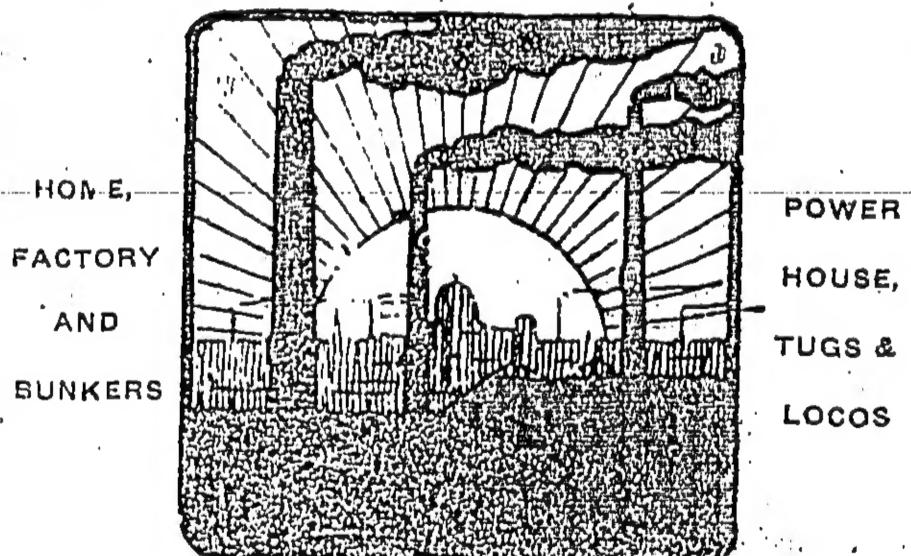
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# OF AIR

FOUR CLEARLY defined stages are distinguishable in the progress of the air war during the first year. First there was the period of partial activity which followed the declaration of war in September, second the Norwegian campaign, third the battle of France culminating in the Dunkirk evacuation, and fourth the battle of Britain.

The partial activity of the early months was concerned almost entirely with attacks by the enemy on our shipping and with leaflet dropping and reconnaissance flights by ourselves. There was, at the outset, the raid on German warships at Brunsbuttel, but apart from that there was no large-scale bombing.

It was not until after Russo-Finnish campaign ended with the signing of peace treaty on March 13 air power began to show its and in the numbers of aircraft the individual's comfort, to the capabilities in the western thea- used.

## Morway

atic enough. The campaign in Norway began on April of parachute troops by the Germans and the reinforcement of units that had landed at Nor- 17 of whose pilots were saved. most every night these targets transport, the dominating influence of air power was made manitest.

Britain suffered the disadvantage of having no air bases in Norway. When our troops found it impossible to move without being heavily bombarded from the air, a late attempt was made to secure an air base for short; range fighters.

in an aircraft carrier, and it ing aeroplanes of the Royal Air Britain in August. frozen lake. In spite of heroic attempts by the pilots, the attempt failed.

The invasion of the Low Cuntries began on May 10. he Germans had used parachute Countries began on May 10.1 The Germans had used parachute troops in Norway—and the Russians had used them in Finland? before that-but their value had! not been demonstrated until they ! were used in the Netherlands, They were dropped on aercdremes at the moment when ground troops were advancing upon them, with the result that a "sandwich" was formed between the advancing troops on one side and the parachute troops on the other, the Dutch troops being in between.

# **Battle Of France**

In the battle of France the German dive bombers were prominent. The Junkers 87 type was thrown into the battle in vast quantities, usually with the object of preparing the way for tank advances. The Royal Air Force was called upon to counter the dive bombers and to attack enemy communications.

It did these duties with great heroism and with a good deal of success. But its size war not great enough, even; with the help of the Armee de l'Air, to check the German advance. So far both the German and the British air forcen! had been mainly tied to the hinder and defer the supply. armies in the field.

occurred after the Belgian capi-lulation on May 28. After this France after 1871, and French Italy. There was no ill-temper-Royal Air Force succeeded in protecting them from overwhelming air attack. The last troops playing on the Germans. were evacuated from Dunkirk on the night of June 3-4, and at the same date Paris was heavily bombed for the first time.

It was a signal that the Germans were preparing their advance on the city. And on June 14 Paris fell, and with it some of the important French aeroengine factories. After that events moved rapidly to the capitulaflon of France. The Royal Air Force during this time strove incessantly to hamper the German advance. Man Marie St.

# Mass Raids

had been many previous minor waste their country.

had bombardment from the air. After every modern democracy," he the August 8 the German air at said. "New Zealand did not sucthat tacks increased daily in violence cumb, in her preoccupation with

1,000 aircrast were hurled against many democracies. New Zealand Britain. Royal Air Force fighters is trying to make a greater effort on this occasion obtained their than she made even in the World The first instance was dram- greatest success and fought the War to defend free civilisation biggest and most notable aerial against totalitarian aggression." battle in history. They, and Throughout, from the landing the ground defences, brought down 180 enemy aircraft with a Fore: had regularly attacked

> ceeded by a resumption of the convoys. mass attacks and again the and more to night attacks.

# BOLE IN DOMINION PACIFIC

Speaking on Dominion Day at the New Zealand pavilion at the World's Fair, the British Ambas-sador to the United States, Lord Lothjan, said that though no doubt many many Americans realised the significance of New Zealand and Australia from the viewpoint of United States security and the defence of the Pacific, some Americans regarded these countries as isolated nations looking for help. from outside.

mainly on the British Navy for long-distance defence, but they were able to contribute much to the security of the Pacific from their own strength. Their Air, Forces alone were turning out 25,000 trainses each year, and it the Dictators challenged the security of Singapore, the Dutch islands, or the southern Pacific, they would encounter formidable resistance from the ever-growing organised strength of Australia and New Zealand.

It was true that both relied

"New Zealand inaugurated half a century ago many social reforms the raids, but no sustained and heavy which are now commonplace in philosophy of pacifism in interna-On Thursday, August 15, some tional affairs, which has rotted

loss to themselves of 34 aircraft, military targe's in Germany. Al-No more decisive defeat had were bombed. The Coastal Comever been inflicted on the Ger- mand also took part in many man or any other air force, bombing operations, and it con-The immediate result was a contrated a great part of its atcessation of mass attacks and tention on attacking enemy suba week of lull. It was suc- marines and on escorting British

The first year of the air war Royal Air Force won many showed a progressive change victories. The end of August from air work mainly concernsaw the Germans turning more ed with cooperation with the Army, such as that in Norway Meanwhile from the time when and the Low Countries, to in-A squadron of Gloster Gladia- the invasion of the Low Coun- dependent air work such as butor biplane fighters was sent out tries had taken place the bomb- gan with the big air raids on

FROM AN UNEXPECTED source reliable information has just been received about the real state of things in occupied France.

It seems that, in spite of all their methodical thoroughness, the invaders are not having things all their own way. They continually try to get hold of stocks, especially those of use for their arms factories; there is a continuous stream of them being despatched across the Rhine.

goods, but not so much as they solely for French needs. expect. In every locality, village, or town the mayor has to provide for the requisitions. He never says no, but in league with his fellow citizens he manages to

Stories are still being told of The beginning of an alteration how the Prussians were hoodsucceed. The peasants will, no sorted to, which are much more doubt, have many more stories difficult to meet. to tell of the tricks they are now

# "Unwilling Workers"

The attitude of the industrial workers is causing still graver Great efforts are made by the concern to the Germans, though German-controlled Press of nothing has been allowed to leak Paris and the big provincial out in the Press. Attempts to centres to persuade the people. enforce a "labour front" still of the mynder's good intentions, continue to be made, but the but with very little result miners of Flanders and Picardy, French minds of a hidurately for instance, are not likely to impervious to publicity, witness cially as scores of thousands of vertisements in the newspapers, Poles have been working by and the more so to flagrant proheir side for the last twenty paganda such as the Germans years, and there is little change he using. And they mistrust hat these men will willingly it the more that the temporary On August 8 the heavy rolds obey the enemy who has slaught. German masters have enlisted on Great Britain began. There ared their own people and Inid the services of man notoriously

The French countryside is de- Shortly after the north of spoiled of grain, livestock, and France had been oversum the every sort of food. Trainloads German radio splashed the news and lorry-loads are run to Ger- that the local mines were cille:many in order to help food ally being reopened. The Gerrationing. The occupying troops nons have boasted that they have are mostly living on the country, more coal than they can possibly The Germans certainly succe- need, and have given assurances ed in securing large quantities of that the coal gotten is intended

The miners, however, are a well organized craft, and even if their unions have to work stealthly, they will not let their. men be gutted. Surreptitious instructions are passed by word of mouth,

the British Expeditionary Force, people are now exercising their ed opposition, no strikes which with some French troops, were wits in order to beat the Boches could give an excuse for reprisals, hemmed in in Northern France, and enjoy the fun when they but "go slow" tactics were re-

# Nazis' "Good Intentions"

reputed as shameless turneouts.

It has become a commonplace to say that a China, the American embargo on. gress. But those who will a virtual military alliance with look beneath surface appearances may glimpse wars and the overturning position as regards Japan, of political systems: United States and Great Britain Britain, occupied France, gle over its own territory and other countries are daily area, certainly has no desire minded as milestones in nant, as it is over Japan's conthe progress or retarda-tion of Fascism, totalitar- By William Henry ianism, liberalism, New Dealism and other types in the "Christian Science Monitor" national or international movements designed to restrict or liberate men. But the victories of armies, the acts deeds of dictators, princes

so, to grasp the real signi- a month. There is a shortage of dairy products and people ficance of what is going are urged to be economical with on in the world to-day, is rice, the staple food of the counvitally necessary both for is used in the manufacture of lay observers and for those clothing wears out quickly and charged with the guidance has felt obliged to institute an of men and nations.

volution is that going on prices. in the human consciousness. Deep down in the Japan is on the verge of revoluhearts and thoughts of however, that the Island Emmen the revolt against pire has used up a considerable limitation in every aspect is far from being in the state and against materialism of treshness in which a governpersists. Never before war. have the agencies both to encourage and to suppress it been so active. Like a river running to its destined sea, rising from an endlessly flowing spring, the aspiration of mankind toward higher standards of conduct and achievement wells forth continuously despite all efforts of the obstructionists.

Its collective expression, channeled into the narrow bed of nationalism, seeks continuously to confinement within outworn concepts of creed and class. In some counthought, hoping to capitalise on this instinct for enlightenment and enrichment of thought among the masses of men, its expression to selfish manifestations. In their blindness and hardness of heart they do not see, as Woodrow Wilson ance pointed out, that there is through the affairs of men, which will not be downed.

that the idea of the feat.

# Il Japan's Hour Of Decision The hour or final decision in

Japan's relations with America and Great Britain has been brought much closer by the rapid sequence of recent events: the Japanese invasion of Indoworld revolution is in pro- exports of scrap iron and scrap steel, the Japanese entrance into Germany and Italy.

Yet Oriental crises can drag on for a long time especially something bigger than when neither side wishes to fight. And this is certainly the I to-day. Great Britain, with its Events in Germany, Great, energy absorbed by the air strugthe United States and offensives in the Mediterranean ed rewenancer, which is subsidised war and the rigors of a military interpreted by the literal- force a showdown in the Far East. The United States, indig-

# Chamberlin

sistent record of aggression, does not wish to send the American Navy to fight a war in distant

And there are several considerations that may restrain Japan from taking the final plunge of legislatures and the into war, even though recent developments have certainly brought the threat of conflict and presidents are, view- closer. In the first place, Japan ed in true perspective, is now really beginning to feel the strain of the war in China simply the bubbles boiling that has been going on for more at the top of the cauldron. than three years with little prospect of an early decision.

Sugar has been put on a mea-To recognise that this is ger ration of less than a pound try. The substitute fiber which lails to wash. The Government claborate system. of price-fixing, with the usual result: vanishing of goods from the market and For the true world re-surreptitious sales at higher

> All this does not mean that tion or collapse. It does indicate, part of its reserve resources and ment is willing to risk a major

> Another possible restraining factor\_is\_the\_Soviet\_Union.\_Could Japan throw all its forces into a programme of unlimited southward expansion without being guaranteed as to its northern ront in Manchukuo and Korea against a Soviet attack?

The terms of the German-Japanese-Italian pact have aroused comment and speculation because Japan seems to have given much more than it has received. Germany and Italy could not help Japan in a naval war with England and America. On the other hand Japan's misance By John Allan May "greatest raid of all time" turned value to Germany and Italy is very considerable. With the third largest havy in the world, could keep the American Navy

in the Pacific. A Japanese-American conflict, even the threat of a conflict, reduces the amount of help which America can send to Great Britain.

However, the Japanese break the barriers of its shrewd diplomatic bargainers and drawn from the collapse of an there seems reason to believe over-secretive France-has led to that they obtained a quid quo for their help to the Axis, blem. These can now best be Part of this quid pro quo German pressure on France to told the facts; the enemy must be tries leaders of popular yield to Japan's demands in re- kept guessing." gard to Indo-China. Another part | An understanding of the actualmay well be a German promise ity and significance of this pro-

raw materials.

of stopping all import and ex-llearn. port trade with Japan, the hour

brotherhood of man

the Dutch East Indies.

by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, state socialism.

of decision in the Pacific area published a project for an alli-would have struck. Japan would ance of Japan, Great Britain, then only have the alternatives and the United States. The alliof submission or of an offensive ance was to be based on equality against the regions of southeas- of economic opportunity for all tern Asia, such as Malaya and participants, respect for the territorial integrity of colonies and Even now many Japanese in protectorates and recognition of business and diplomatic circles Japan's predominant position in hope that these desperate reme- China. Its publication reflects dies may be avoided. On the the survival of hope in some very eve of the signature of Japanese quarters that a new the pact with the Axis Powers, agreed settlement may spare

## Expecting Appeasement?



# Sense & Censorship

appairintly irreconcilable outlooks plification apparatus of the Geris-constantly up-for-consideration man-propaganda-ministry gave between the world's press and the world a running commentary clemical, electrical, and steel, at the military authorities. It is a upon the battle and, unchecked which Germans are especially apt. problem which is being solved by any counterblast of truth, Other countries will manufacture only by a slow process involving blared forth "news" of the demany mutual readjustments of struction of great portions of the ducts as Germans need and no values.

fare is secrecy; the essence of whole of that day no word came

then a growing realisation on the part of all here that, although secrecy is still essential regarding actual military operations, freedom of the press to print the news is also essential to the success of Britain's cause—a trend are | thought strengthened by lessons pro a revision of the terms of the prostated thus: "The public must be that a glorious opportunity had

of pressure on Moscow.

Japanese economic dependence sessing the news that comes from on America which has increased Britain in these days and the news since the beginning of the Euro- that does not come from Britain.

The problem of reconciling two ly at London. The sound-ambravery of suburban dwellers who suffered severely when the into a sporadic and militarily insignificant attack upon a handful of residential areas. There was no word out of London to speak of these things, not because no word was written, but because the censors held up every mesof sage and did not allow any to go until nine hours had elapsed. Afterwards there was general

agreement that the censors, or those who gave them their instructions, were in the wrong, been missed by an unbalancing of the carefully-weighted secrecypublicity scales:

But the censors had a caseand a strong case—which is worth consideration. This was it:

With the main battle raging over pean war is another factor for This is no box-office war. For the Britain, everybody and every lorelative moderation in Japanese people of Britain—and in Britain cality here must be considered as strategy was, the authorities sinhave attempted to prevent policy. America has been Japan's —it is urgent and real. It involves in "the front-line trenches." To ply stopped all messages until all best customer (apart from Man- their homes, their families, their allow messages from the line to chukuo) and its chief source of lives. It is understandable that be flashed abroad—and consethere should be a determination quently to the enemy—telling or not to let listening German ears hinting at the progress of any at- it turned out, and in the sharp Of course this dependence hear one word that might give tack while it was happening would verbal clash that followed, they diminishes if and as America im- aid to German hands in their have been foolish. Indeed, since made what might be termed a poses new sanctions and restraints work of destruction.

on Japanese trade. If America, And it must be remembered less statements might, it released Concessions were made, enunder the influence of the new that the more accurate the news too quickly, tell enemy headquar- abling news of aerial battles and a spiritual tide running pact, should go the whole limit the more the enemy stands to ters something of the direction or raids to be spread abroad more penetrating power, or dispersal fully.
of various spear-heads of the The significant factor which A case illustrating the clash of attack while there was still time emerges is not just the power the two opposing outlooks is that for reinforcements to be sent, it that the censors have on the press which arose at the climax of the might actually be extremely dan- but the power the press and pubwhich is at the bottom of first great air battle that raged gerous. Since there was no tell—lie also have over the censors. It all, will not suffer de- for a week over Southern Britain, ing how long the succession of Proper preservation of a balance On Friday, August 16, the mighty raids (forming the single plan of of power is essential to making German air force struck sudden- attack) might last or what the truth stronger than fiction.

If a new order under the leadership of Germany is to be established in Europe it is well for us to consider what shape it is to take, at least in its outline. For such an enquiry there is ample material in the writings and speeches of Hitler, in the practice of the German Armies and German governors and in the changes in such countries as Switzerland, which have been forced to adapt themselves to German orders.

The nature of the political and social structure is unmistakeable At its head will be a German pligarchy, an elite with despotic powers. Like all oligarchies, it will be unstable and uncertain. It will therefore be protected by a secret police and will depend on: a crowd of informers.

Below the oligarchy will be the German people, the chosen race to which all other peoples, including the Italians, will be subservient.

These people will have special privileges, political, social and economic, but they will have no voice in the government of their country.

Below the chosen people will be the helots, the British, the French and the Italians, whose existence will be tolerated only so far as they serve the interests of Germany. Beyond these there will be the Colonials, among whom are to be included Negroes. Jews and Russians. These people will correspond to the untouchables and will have no rights in this world or the next, which will of course be controlled by Ger-

The political structure then will have four layers, the social structure will have three. The German will walk on the pavenient, the Englishman, the French man, the Italian will walk in the gutter. The Colonial, the Negro, the Russian and other races, that according to German reckoning, make up the scum of the earth. will be allowed to crawl on their tellies.

The nature of the economic structure appears from the dealings of Germany with Russia, with Rumania, with France, with the conquered countries such as Holland and Belgium and with countries such as Switzerland which have thought themselves too weak to resist German or-

There are certain industries. such goods and grow such procity and the total defeat of Lon- others. From the specifically "The essence of successful war- don's actial defenders. For the German industries they will be debarred. Berlin will he the successful journalism is public- out of London to tell the real clearing house of the rest of the ily." Thus badly did the British facts, to relate the epic story of world, and the value of the Ger-War Office state the problem at an R.A.F. victory almost without mark in relation to the curthe outset of hostilities. Since parallel, to speak of the calm rency of other countries will be varied so that German merchants will make a profit in all their dealings. Workmen will have food and clothing, but they will have no independence and no rights. They will be protected and nourished, not as individuals but because their work is necessary to the policy of the State. Any order might be tolerable if its administrators had a regard But this for their fellow-men. order will be administered by mento whom mercy, compassion, justice and truth are abhorrent. It can only be established over the graves of freedom-loving people. it can last so long as the hunan race has lost all the gains of the last two thousand years and only so long as it remains without its strength, its virtue - and its selfrespect.

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was published in Amer-

ican newspapers recent-

Whatever "surprises" the Axis

dictators may have prepared for

Britain at their meeting on the

Brenner Pass, military circles it

London are looking to a rapidly-

approaching winter with wha

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confidence," and a feeling that the

worst of the air onslaught is over.

see Britain so much stronger

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The air attack, supposed to

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Battered But Unbowed

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bombed hospitals and schools, set

smashed up Central London office

Yet London still stands, batter-

ed but unbowed-"business as

"May Sue For Peace"

They are counting on the wea-

happen in the Mediterranean

this winter could have a serious

bearing on the battle of Britain.

It is felt, however, that Mus-

solini's delay in pushing the in-

vasion of Egypt is a tacit ad-

mission of the tremendous ob-

stacios which the Italian com-

mandors find thomsoives facing.

There exists the opinion that if

his invasion fails the Duce in ght

sue for a separate peace with Bri-

ther, which will soon be bad

enough to cause the German ma-

barrage and A.A. guns.

The citizen, his wife and chil-

By the spring they expect to

ly:—

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tember.

YOUR SON"

An R.A.F. pilot, who, after an exploit one Sunday, was shot down and had to bale out, wrote home a few hours later a note of four sentences in place of his usual. eight-page letter. His note ran:

"My dear Mother and Father,—Just a line, since I have not much time for writing, to tell you that the old firm is still merry and bright. They seem to have made quite a show on the six o'clock wireless news to-night. Did you hear the long description of the Hurricane and the two Dorniers over Buckingham Palace and Victoria Station? That was your everloving son."

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# STABILITY IN FAR EAST

The Australian Minister to the United States, Mr. Casey, in an interview broadcast by Station WMCA, said that Australia and the United States had a mutual desire for stable conditions in Far East.

Such stability, he said, would enable the building up of closer economic relations with China; Japan, the Dutch East Indies, and other parts of south-east Asia. Australia was determined to defend herself against attack, he added.

The interviewer asked whether Australia would welcome Amerivolving Australia, to which Mr. Casey replied: "You will agree Britain's wer effort by more than incendiary bombs. that the United States, Australia a small percentage. and New Zealand are all concerned about their own security. and that none of them is territorially ambitious. Therefore, anything by way of cooperation that we are able to contribute to this security we will gladly do. It would not be one-way treffic. Australia does not: feel defence-

# East Indies Value

Mr. Casey said that the East Indies were valuable to the United States. He quoted the warning States. given by the U.S. Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, a month ugo, to Japan, not to alter the status quo of French Indo-China or the East Indies, which Australia and Britain welcomed and endorsed.

He recalled that the late Prime Minister of Australia, Mr. Lyons, in 1937, proposed a regional understanding and non-aggression pact between Pacific countries.

The interviewer asked whether the prospect of closer association with the United States alarmed Australians, Mr. Casey replied: "Australians do not think of the United States as a foreign counfry to be watched suspiciously. We differentiate between Americans and 'foreigners.' All sections of political opinion are united in a desire for very close relations I tain by the spring. with the United States."

# THIS IS THE FIRST of a series of cables by Miss Helen Kirkpatrick, of the London staff of the Chicago "Daily News," to her paper describing the effects of the German bombing blitzkrieg on the

industrial and shipping centres of England. Industrial England, which took the brunt of the Nazi bombing attacks many weeks before the blitzkrieg on London began, is virtually untouched.

Its factories, the majority of which are converted to wartime production, are turning out essen-INVASION tial supplies at a rate which certainly makes a quick Nazi victory impossible and any kind of Geyman victory pretty uncertain. THREAT MAY

One of Britain's biggest ports is crammed with tonnage from all over the world and ships unload thousands of tons of food and war materials daily, despite persistent German attempts to disrupt this vital work.

I spent six days touring the most important industrial centres, inspecting war factories and the German air attack, visiting damaged areas. Full and confidential reports of all damage done were available in every place I visited, and, while it is impossible to make these public, it can be stated that air raids have not so far impaired the British war effort to any marked

## Effect On Production

While nightly alarms and sporadic day raids have affected production, it has fallen off, only by a slight amount, and there is confidence throughout the industrial area that this is only temporary. Once 'roof spotting systems are fully working production is expected to be maintained.

While the morale of Londoners has been the object of great adhave been completely reversed, miration, that of industrial England is fully equal, and in many concerned over how to repel an cases far surpasses London's. And invasion rather than how to unquestionably a good deal of the Midlands and the North of England is far tougher than anything knock out London, was unleashed that can be found in London.

# "Tougher - - - Angrier"

The effect of the raids so far has been to infuriate the population as a whole and workers in particular. And the farther north you go the tougher and angrier they get.

The North is pretty adamant on the subject of the war. If I ed the citizen's home. They have heard it once I heard it ten times in different forms: "We finished fire to churches, and machine- the last war too soon. The mistake we made was in not march-They have flattened whole ing to Berlin. This time we are blocks of East-end tenements, not stopping until we have beaten the Germans and know they know it."

# Peaceful Countryside

. Driving hundreds of miles Neutral correspondents and northward from London it was military experts agree that, a difficult to realise that not only is can assistance in the event of war month of Blitzkrieg, such as no there a war on, but that big cities spreading to the Pacific and in- people in the world has ever be- of this country are being pounded forz had to endure did not impair | nightly with high explosives and

The countryside presents the Authoritative circles frankly most peaceful aspect imaginable, admit that a month's "Blitz" has and only the presence of soldiers confronted Britain with some along roads which are punctuated staggering problems, but those with tank traps recalls that a same circles believe that British battle is going on Again, going morale is tough enough to hear into big industrial cities it is difficult to find any trace of damage; and it is necessary to know where to look for it

- As in the case of London most The British are counting on the of the damage, had been done in RAF, whose brilliant day-time the residential area, and most of victories are valready axiomatic, that to workers houses on the growing ever stronger from inces- fringe of factories.

The arganisation of civillan sant acceleration of aircraft production here and in the United - defonces and first aid services cooms excellent, and the only enticism that could be made is "that the construction of shelters ... Is much too far behind.

. There has been damage to facchines to ice over if they try to go above the range of the balloon tories, in some cases serious, but the number of factories demolish-They are optimistic, over the ed or badly hit is so small as to prospect of finding an answer to make no appreciable difference to night bombing before the winter national production.... This is mainly due to vast decentralisa-It is admitted that what might ition.-

Wital war supplies such, as machine tools, aeroplanes, guns and ammunition are being produced in so-many different factorics, each with many subardiary plants to call on, that the destruction of any one of them cannot cripple production.

Many areas of industrial England are more prosperous than they have been for years and unemployment has shrunk to the lowest Agure (for 23 years."

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# DUTCH GIRL ROWS ENGLAND

Every British mother will want to read this story. Every British child will want to read it too.

It is a story of the midsummer madness of 1940, when Adolf Hitder, World Beast No. 1, proceeded to mutilate the bodies of women and children by machine-gunning and bombing them, as they fled |letore his dull, savage hordes.

## "We Must Flee"

Thirteen-year-old Josephine

"Come, darling," he said, "the

of this child.

"All right, daddy," she said, and i taking his hand in hers, the went, with hum to, the local beach, and it was here that she joined a party of ten other people, who had a Jarge rew-boat in readiness to leave their beloved country.

"There's a British destroyer around the coast." somebody assured her, "and soon we shall be safe."

Behind them, they observed the Nezi vultures diving on their homes and blowing them to bits with their bombs.

nearly an hour they rowed, and of hostilities only. turning the bend of the coastline, all of them stared hopefully for the British destroyer.

"But it's not here, daddy, Josephine whispered. Then she watched the faces of

the others fall. "There's only one thing for it," somebody said. row to England."

# Frightful Trip

So; without a compass or food, and very little water, these twelve Dutch people embarked unon a journey that was to be as frightful as any adventure ever conceived by the authors of sea adventure stories.

The first day passed pleasantly enough. Indeed, everybody was in the best of spirits, although everything they owned and everything they had lived for was lost.

Now and then, they would turn and smile at little Jose. phine, who sat in the boat, looking screnely at the blue sky and wondering just what existed clouds that looked like cotton wool in the sun. -

But by sundown the next day bombed. everybody drooped at their oars, their eyes -weary from exhaustion and lack of food and water. While some of the men slept, little Josephine prayed to God to save them from disaster.

# Weaker - - - Weaker

The days passed, and with the raids. close of each, this heroic little band of scafarers became weaker and weaker.

The less robust of the arew fell over their ours unable to row any more. The tongues of the men swelled through lack of water.

Two, three, four, five, six days and mights passed like a prolonged and grotesque inightmare, it seemed indeed that they couldn't live.

Meanwhile the child had become so weak that she could hardly sit up, but all the time there burned in her breast a belief that God" would save her and her friends.

And it was on the seventh day that her prayers were answered. A British destroyer steamed proudly alongside of the bont, snatching the refugees from death

# "See My People Freed"

"It: was dreadful," little Josephine told me. "But it couldn't I asked. have been worse than to live un-

SINCE THE WAR began Britain has acquired a new Fleet, the Auxiliary Patrol Service. In the "China Mail" last week some account was given of the ways in which merchant sailors have turned their hands to fighting, in the Royal Naval Reserve or in defence of their own ships, against U-boats and planes. The story of the Patrol Service introduces another type of recruit to war service at sea.

When war broke out a number of fishing craft were taken over by the Admiralty as patrol vessels as part of our submarine defences. These were reinforced by yachts which their owners placed at the disposal of the Navy.

Among these was the 200-ton, Campeador V, sunk by an enemy It begins when those misguided mine in June. Her owner, Mr. Putch people woke up one morn- Vernon Macandrew, handed her ing and discovered that German over to the Admiralty, served in parachute troops were falling from her and went down with her. "heir sky like a planue of locusts. | Most of her crew were yachtsmen from South Devon, and included a retired Surgeon Rear-Admiral.

Klein was suddenly called by Service has been strengthened In recent months the Patrol until now it forms a cordon round Germans are here. We must East and South Coasts and up There was no panic in the mind and Liverpool. In the waters the West Coast as far as Larne near these shores the boats of the Patrol maintain a ceaseless watch in any sort of weather conditions! that come along.

## From The R.N.V.R.

The average crew of a small motor yacht is a second hand, an engineer, and two ordinary scamen. Most of the officers are drawn from the Royal Navai Volunteer Reserve, and there

usually one officer to six yachts. In the case of trawlers and drifters there is one officer to two Meanwhile, the stout Dutchmen charge of the others. The fishermanned the oars and were rowing men who man the trawlers are strongly in the rough sea. For specially enlisted for the duration

> With the Auxiliary Patrol has also been incorporated the Port of London Authority River Emergency Service, whose "beat" is on the Thames from Tower Bridge to Hole Haven. The famous barge of Mr. A. P. Herbert M.P., is in the Thames Patrol, and when she was taken into the service her owner continued to serve in her as a petty officer.

Allied vessels are also on patrol duty, and among units on the south-west coast are trawlers manned by Poles.

The Poles have impressed keep their ships in first-rate condition.

It is a thousand pities that Joseph Conrad, Polish master mariner and master, too, of English prose, did not survive to tell the story of his countrymen's high adventure in remote waters.

But, even were there a Conrad or a Herman Melville to immortalise the exploits of the Auxiliary Patrol, the tale would have to be deferred. The fewer details available to the enemy of its work and of the exact areas in which it operates, the better for the efficiency of the service and the safety of its members.

This much can be said—that danger has become a matter of routine with these fishermen and yachtsmen, of whom few, except the Royal Naval Reserve gunlayers, have naval training. Many of their boats are such as, for peaceful purposes, would be considered fair-weather craft, and cannot be fuelled for long trips, Generally speaking, four-day tours of duty are carried out by trawllers, and the small boats are used for shorter spells.

It can also be said that some of the boats are in action every day. against enemy aircraft, but the full story of their exploits is that the future historian of Patrol will have the greatest difficulty in piecing together.

\_\_\_As\_a\_naval...officer..put\_\_it.: "These chaps are so used to action that they don't bother to report unless they have casualties."

# British naval men as extraordinarily fine seamen, who

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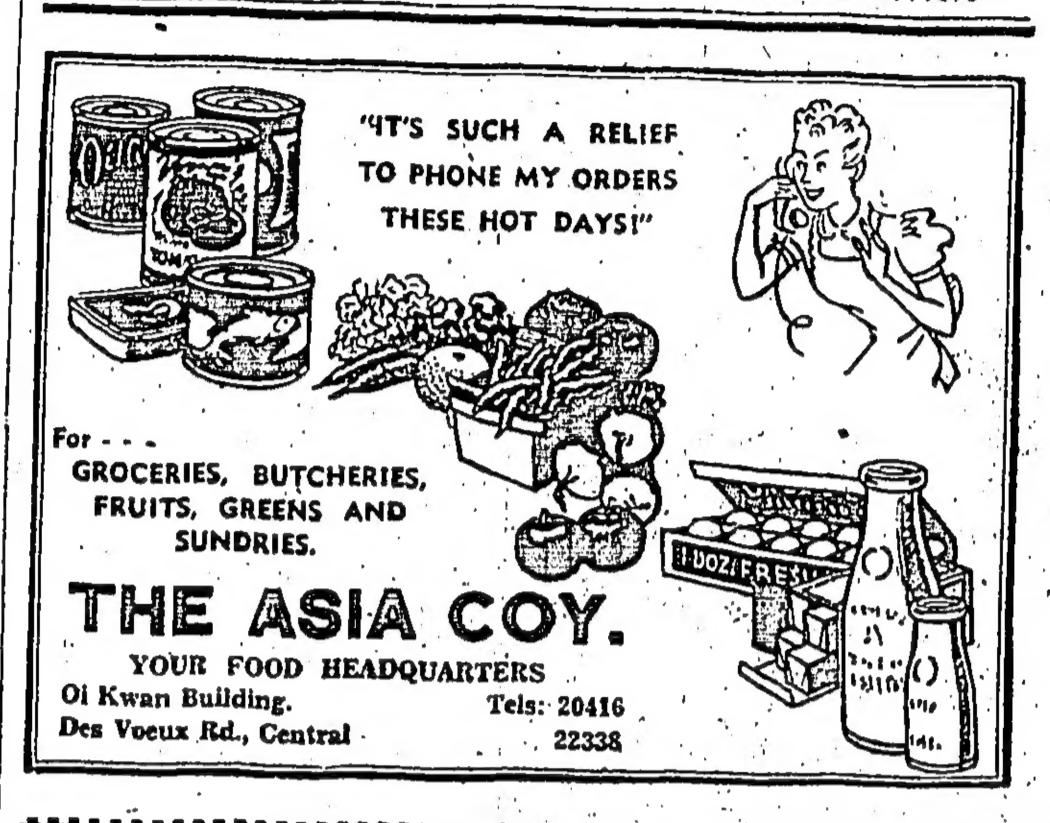
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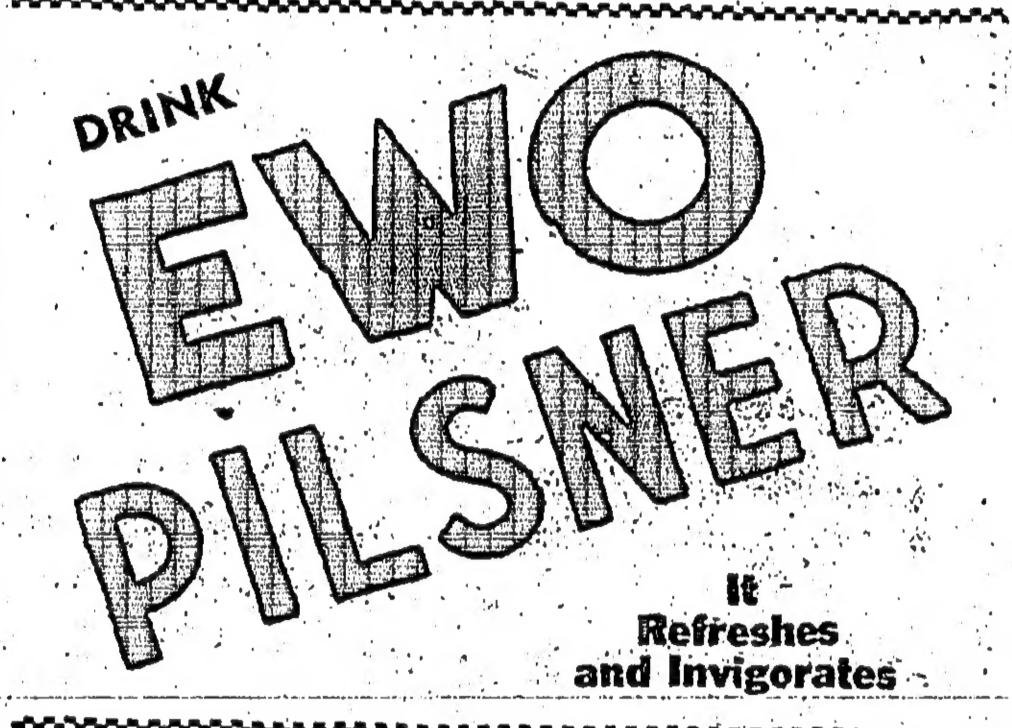
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# Saved Jean

thin nightdress with gown thrown over it, hours in darkness rescubeyond the banks of fleecy white ing injured pets of people whose homes had been

> With only a small torch to guide her, the girl, Miss Jean Morton, ignored bombs and shrapnel dropping around her. She worked for four hours excavating dogs, cats and seven birds trapped by fallen debris in a recent night's London

Sheils, her pet Airedale; fol-.. lowed her wherever she wentbarking signals where she eniffed out four-jegged brothers. and sisters injured or trapped. Jean did not stop, till she was satisfied she had done all she

# "Sheila" Helped

centre in Fitzroy Street, W., where she works as veterinary assistant; ing from shock. donned her white overall and set to-work dressing and bandaging more injured animals.

Sheila," she told reporters. "She

der the beastly Germans. "How do I like here? Oh, it's

fine. I like English children, and the people. But I love Holland. It means everything to me. One day, ing from shock," the surgeon said. I know I should go back and see my people freed, from the Germans." Fr

"In God," she replied simply. V.C., if there is such a thing."

A girl dressed only in a secmed to sense what was going on. Wherever she sniffed out an animal she barked."

While Miss Morton was speaking twenty people arrived with worked through the early injured pets, some to be destroyed. Jean was on the joh helping to put the animals painlessly to sleep and comforting their owners. Airedale Shaila, still on duty, stood near.

> "Apart from; animals outside" there were our own in the clinic. who were frightened at the noise of boribing and gunfire," said Jean. "I gave each one a sleeping draught. That took a lot of my time,

# Pet Blackbird

"Altogether I think: I rescued four cats, a dog and a canary. Others were brought to me by transmission to

One of Jean's strangest patients is a tiny blackbird. It was brought in by its owner, an old man, Mr. J. Langdon, who also brought his pet greyhound Peggy. Peggy, who refused to leave her home till her Then she returned to the animal master had been rescued, was uninjured. The blackbird was suffer-

There were queues of peoplewomen with tears in their eyes, children and men made homeless "I couldn't have done it without through the raids, clutching their pets outside this animal hospital.

Seventy cats were destroyed that morning. One horse was brought in with a cut to be sewn up and many dogs to have their injuries dressed.

"Most of the animals are suffer-"Kept guiet for a time, they will be all right. Jean was wonderful. She has not had any sleep all "And in whom have you faith?" night and has been going at it all day, too. She desorves an animal

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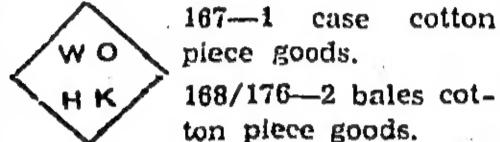
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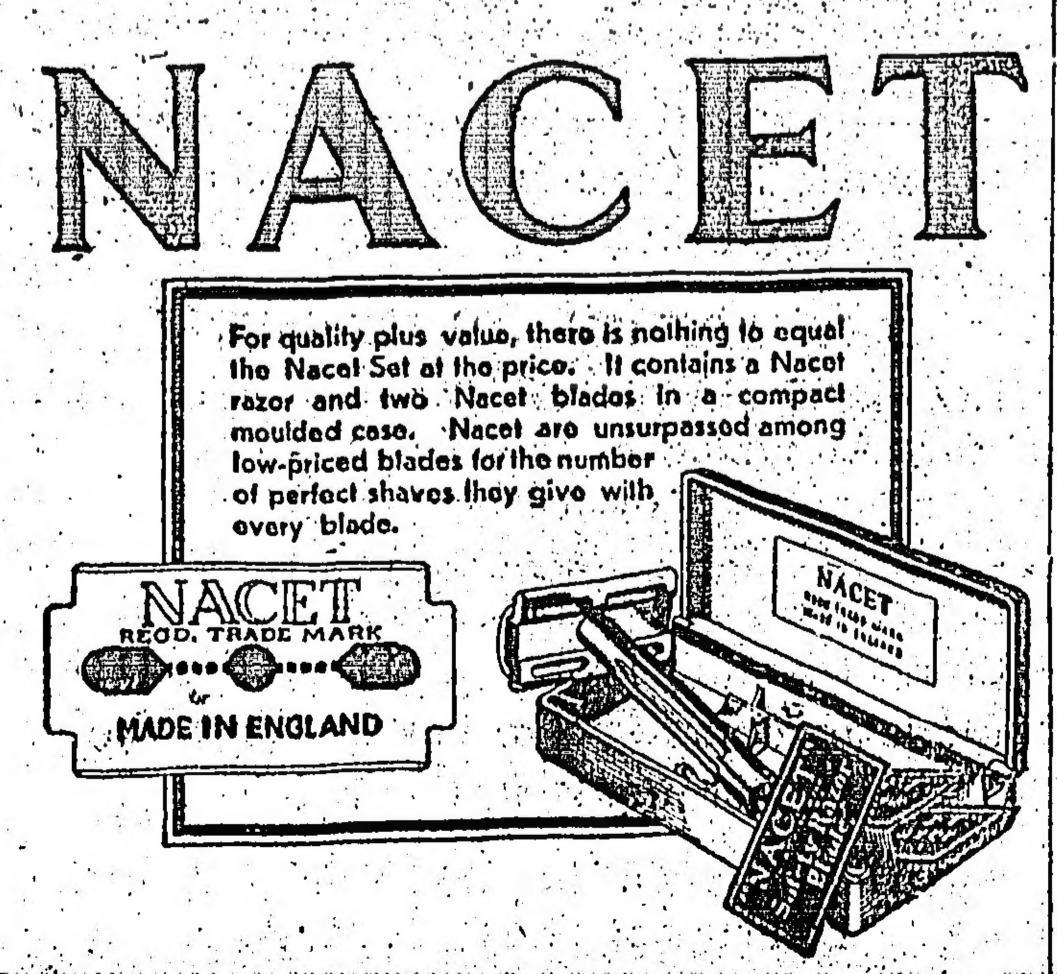
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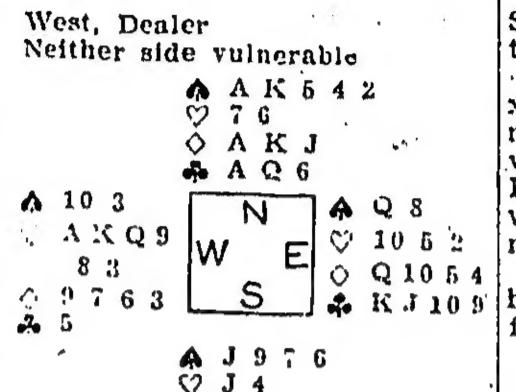
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# A Comedy Of Errors

# By The Four Aces

of errors, but the final festilt was MOST OF THEM ARRIVED just what it would have been HERE WHEN HITLER INVADED if nobody had made a mistake:



7 4.3 2 The hidding:

West North East Dol. Pass Pass Pass

South 14 Pass

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AVERAGE HAVE STA

West and with the Queen Then he shifted known reasons himself, best to A club lead would have allowed South no chance

for the contract, but the diamond shift was an out-and-out "gift." South, however, was not going to allow West to outdo him in the matter of generosity. He laid down the Ace and King of redder than those of Polish girls. trumps, noting with satisfaction "But this is not adverse criticdiamonds to put the lead in his tural shape of the mouth." own hand. So far so good,

finesse the Queen of clubs; and had any romance in England. She that was decidedly not good. For smiled and rolds that was East won with the club King and returned the club Jack, Nov South could not avoid the loss. of a second club trick in addition to the two heart tricks taken by West at the beginning.

South could have assured contract when West played the five of clubs. Correct play was to top this with dummy's six of clubs! "East" would "be obliged" to win the trick; and no return would win another trick for the deichce. Instead of assuming that West had to have the club looking." King for his opening bid, South should have made the play which was sure to produce the game even if West's bid had been un-

Yesterday you were Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held:

VAQJ73

. The bidding: Maier You

ANSWER: Pass. Your hand is strong enough for a non-vulnerable overcall at the level of one but not for an overcall at the level of two. Your hand may produce about four tricks, hardly enough for an eight-trick con-

Score 100 per cent, for pass, 20 per cent, for two hearts.

# Question No. 562

To-day you are Merwin Maier's partner and, with both vulnerable, you hold:

The bidding Jucoby Kou Hebenken 10 (?)

What do you bld? (Answer. To-morrow.

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# GIRLS'

BRITAIN TEEMS WITH RE-FUGEES FROM ALL THOSE COUNTRIES NOW UNDER THE NAZI HEEL. THEY CONSIST To-day's hand was a comedy OF BOTH YOUNG AND OLD. THE LOW COUNTRIES AND FRANCE.

Among the refugees are girls, Some of them are separated from their sweethearts.

All of them are naturally anxious to adapt themselves to their new country. They have brought with them the habits of their own. chemists everywhere. In their own way, they knew what best attracted the young men of their countries..

They knew how to fix their KJ109 hair, what make-up to put on, the fashions in clothes, and what not.

Those who are here must sometimes think of romance. Indeed, it is possible that they might even contemplate marrying a young Britisher. They are therefore eager to learn from British girls anything that they themselves don't know.

## "Independence"

The first girl one reporter interopened viewed was Irene Arkin, of Warthe King of hearts saw. She escaped from that city continued seven days after the Nazis entered her country. After an exciting journey through many countries, to a diamond for she finally reached Paris.

She said: "My first impression of English girls was their air of independence. They move about with such confidence that one can't help but admire them. "The girls in my country do not

enjoy such freedom. "Another characteristic of the girls over here is the way they use lipstick. Their lips are much

the fall of the trump Queen, ism. I like to see the lips clearly Then he cashed the King of dla- defined. Moreover, the use of monds and ruffed the Jack of lipstick often improves the na-

## "So Polite"

But South's next step was to She was asked whether she had smiled and said: "Not yet. I'm too busy studying. You see, I'm ambitious."

Of British men, Irene had this to say: "They are so polite, so gentle and so well-mannered.

"These qualities are admirable. should imagine that the average Englishman would make a good husband." She said that Englishmen are

smarter--in dress--than---her---owncountrymen. "And," she added, "I think that they are generally very good-

# No Good To Panic

Trene went on to tell something of the way in which Polish girls

scratches. abrasions, . bruises, burns, scalds, insect bites and stings are quickly soothed and healed by the application of



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# SHE-KO Quickly soothes and heals.

stood up to bombing in early days of the war.

"We behaved very much the same as your women are behaving now," she said. "We . knew that it was no good to panic. "I would like to say this to

English girls: The battle which you are sharing with your men is one in which the hopes of my fellow countrywomen are centred.

"And they know, too, that you will stand up heroically to the great strain of this ordeal through which you are passing just now.

"You are fighting for their liberty as much as for your own, for if Britain fails they can never hope to enjoy freedom again."



tt's all right to build castles in the air but sooner or fater a man realises he can't travel very far living in a cloud.

# OFF THE RECORD

By ED REED.



"Please put both hands back on the wheel, darling. Let's not take any chances!"

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# A PAGE FOR WOMEN Economy )1shes

Appetising but inexpensive are these delicious dishes made from vegetables and fruits that are in season now.

Economy is the watchword in the kitchen these days. We're all i making the most of foods that are in season and keeping our eyes] put the slightest strain on your siceated coconut. packet book.

### Brawn

14 pig's head I cnion 6 peppercorns Cold salt water Sprig of parsley Blade of mace Seasoning

Salad lid' until it is reduced to half, and steam for 11/2 hours. Strain the liquor over the meat and season well. Pour into wetted moulds or basins and leave till set. Furn out when cold, garnish - with---parsley,--and--serve --- with-|----i -oz:-minced-meat-salad.

## Fruit Mould

I lb. pears or guavas or any soft fruit Desiccated coconut 3 oz. erushed tapicca

open for inexpensive ingredients to cover. When soft, strain or pass for our dishes. But inexpensive through a sieve. Make the liquid move the peel and cook it for eight meals don't have to be dull meals | up to a pint with water, and add Far from it—with a pinch of sea- the well-washed tapioca grain to soning and a little imagination, the juice and the sugar. Simmer you can work wonders with the the tapicca gently until it is quite simplest foods. This week I am clear and transparent. Pour into stock, season well, and pack the giving you some of my favourite a wetted mould and set aside in a stuffing into the halves of the economy recipes. They're nourish- cool place. Turn out and serve ing and delicious, but they don't decorated with cherries and de- gether and bake in a covered cas-

- 4 oz. stale bread 6 lumps of sugar

- 2 oz. candied peel
- Dissolve the sugar in 1 table-Wash the head thoroughly and spoon water and heat gently until put into a large saucepan of cold it comes a caramel. Add the milk salt water. Bring to the boil and and beaten egg and stir until it skim. Add the onion, peppercorns, thickens. Cut the bread into small mace and cook gently for three dice, and pour the hot caramel hours until the flesh leaves the over this. Cover and leave for 12 bones. Lift out the head, trim off hour. Prepare the fruit and peel all the meat, and chop finely. Re- and stir this with the grated lemon turn the bones to the liquor and rind into the bread without mashboil the liquid briskly without a ing it. Put into a greased basin
  - 1 marrow
  - 4 oz. breaderumbs

Sugar to taste. Stew the truit in sufficient water

## **Caramel Pudding**

- 12 pint milk
- 3 oz. sultanas
- Grated lemon rind 1 tablespoon water

# Stuffed Marrow

- I cooked onion Boiling sait water Parsley
- 1 teaspoon mixed herbs
- 1 egg Seasoning

Cooked carrots

Halve the marrow lengthwise and scoop out all the seeds. Reminutes in boiling salt water. Chop the onion finely and add the herbs, "breadcrumbs" and minced meat. Moisten with beaten egg or marrow. Put the two halves toserole or baking dish for 1 hour. Garnish with parsley and serve with young carrots.

## Fish A La Normandie

- 4 even-sized potatoes 1/2 lb, seer fish
- 2 tablespoons shrimps
- tablespoon cheese
- 14 oz. butter ½ oż. flour
- 1/4 pint milk

Pepper and salt

Scrub the potatoes and bake them in their jackets. Put the fish into a baking dish, cover with greased paper, and bake in a moderate oven for twenty minutes. Prepare a thick white sauce from the butter, flour, milk and seasoning. Add any liquid from fish to the sauce and stir in the seasoning and the shrimps, or prawns which have been picked and chopped.

Remove the centre of the putatoes and beat this into the sauca. Place a portion of fish in the centre of each potato... Coat with the sauce, sprinkle with grated cheese, and brown under a red-hot grill.

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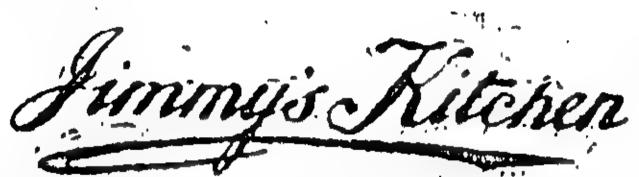
The cuticles of the nails should be smeared with a trace of vaseline and then a little paraffin should be poured into the hollow of one palm. Proceed to rub it well into both hands, using a rotary movement of the thumb of one hand down the length of each finger, working always from the nails towards the wrists and treating first the inside and then the back of the hands. Finish by wringing the hands loosely with a rotary movement of the wrists.

The following exercise is excellent for keeping the fingers slender and supple. Hold the hand palm upwards, stretching the thumb out stiffly and keeping it quite still during the exercise. Then bend your first finger until it touches the ball of the thumb without moving the other fingers. Return the first finger to its original position and proceed with the others in turn. At first, if your hands are stiff, you will not find this an easy performance, but practice will make perfect.

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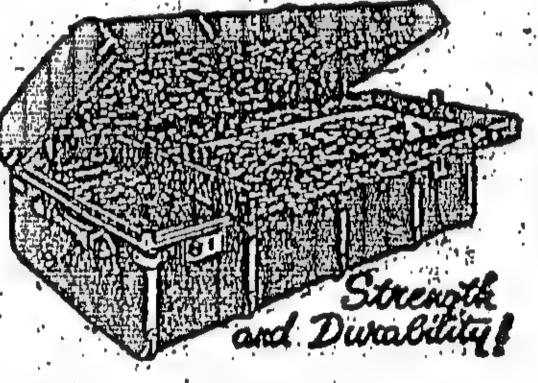
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back. Pass one end tightly round head to right and second end loosely to left to give a softly draped effect. One end is now lenger than the other and can be knotted at side.

Materials: 20z. 3-ply Royal Blue super-fingering, loz. white or other colour for contrast. 1 pr. No. 7 and I pr. No. 12 pins. Abbreviations: Kaknit, p. purl, sts. | stitches, tog, together, dec. deerease,

Crown: Using the blue wool, cast on 140 sts with No. 12 pins. Rik 5 ins. K.I, P.I.

Shape the top: 1st row.—\*Rib-II ins Take next 3 tog. Repeat from "to end. Rib three rows without degreasing.

5th row.—"Rib 9 sts. Take next sts. Work 4 rows plain knitting. 3 sts. tog. Repeat, from 4 to end. 5th row. \* K4, p.2. Rep. from Rib three rows without dec.

Rib 1 row: Continue decreasing strip in white wool. in this way: fibbling of the begining . To make up the turban.—Sew after washing them thoroughly.

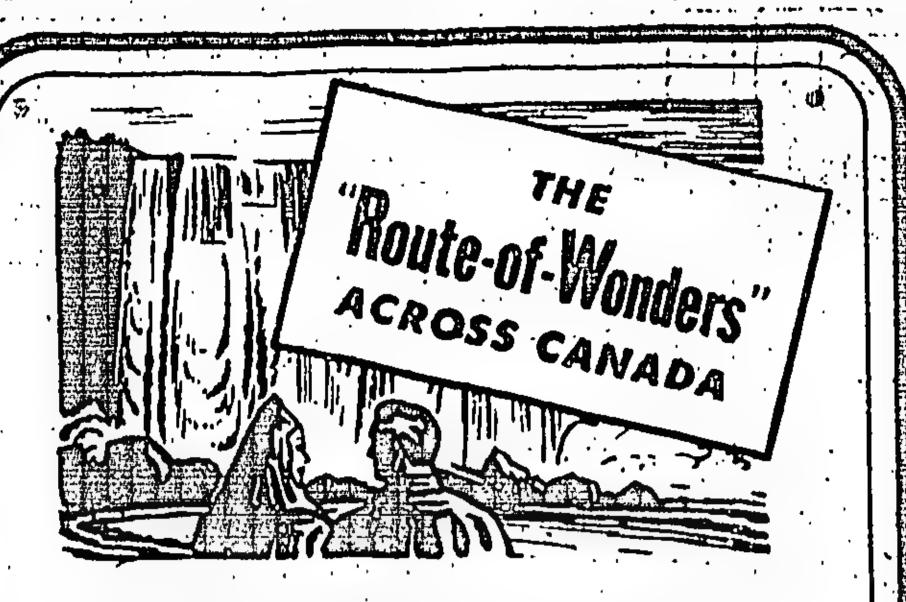


from \* to-last stitch, k.1. Draw up

with needle and wool. Brim (half wrap). With blue wool and No. 7 pins, cast on 30

to end. Repeat this row until work 9th row.—" Rib 7 sts: Take the measures 25in, from the cast-on next 3 sts. tog. Rep. from a to end. edge. Cast-off. Make a similar

of the decreasing row 2 sts less the seams of the crown and join each time (thus you dec. in the the brim wrap ends together.) one row, then rib one row with Press with warm from and damp has hardened. Then wash off in out dec.) until 20 sts remain. | cloth. Stitch seam of brim wrap lukewarm vot dapply your Last row. HI1 \* rib 3 tog. rep. to the back of crown.



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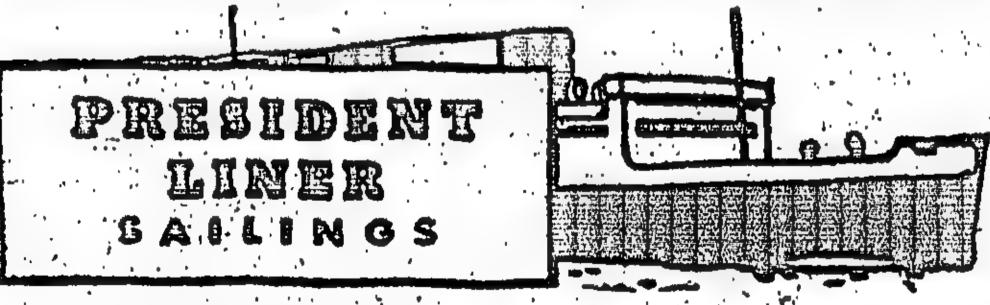
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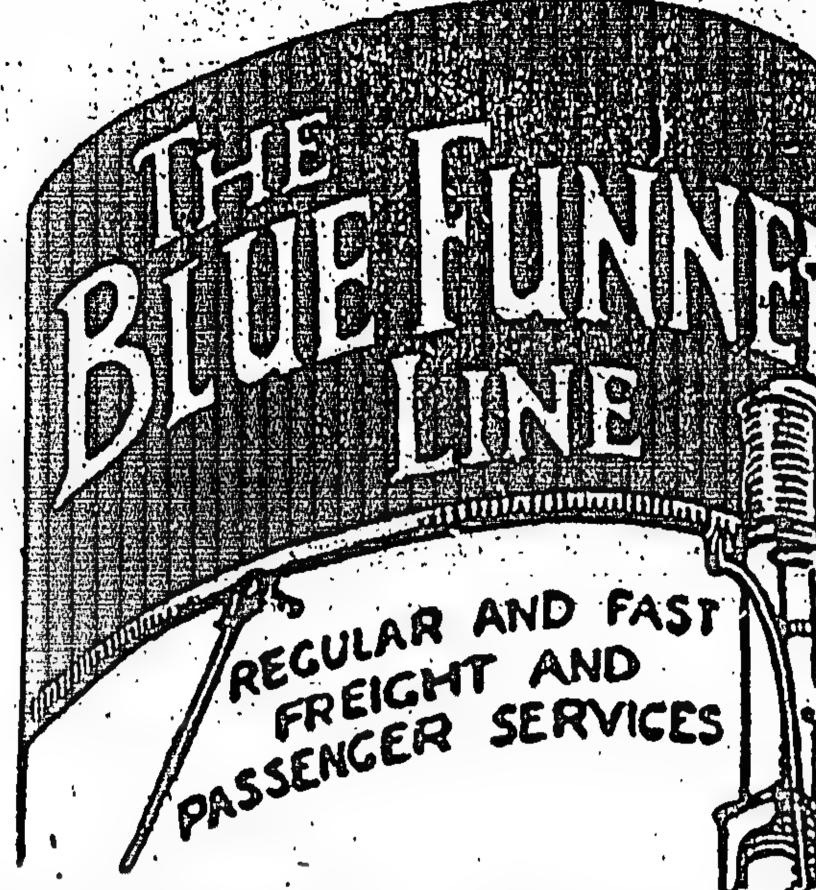
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She has now recovered them under remarkable circumstances. Here is the story:—

- An East Dercham (Norfolk) small yard at the back of the regreengrocer, Mr. Robert Ellis, was sidential which years ago was a been sent to secret hideouts fired on Douai railway junction. amazed to find a handbag containing 300 £1 notes wrapped in sacks, which had been on his stall in Dereham Market.

Police Station, where he learned Monks. "When I left, there was that it was the life savings of Mr. | no sign of fire, and I went to my and Mrs. James Edwards, of room upstairs." Webster's Cottages, Yaxham Road, East Dereham.

When Mr. Ellis restored the money to Mr. and Mrs. Edwards they were so grateful that they offered him £150 reward, but he would accept only £5.

Mrs. Edwards said that when she was shopping in the market place a raid warning was given and, rushing from a shop to take cover, she left the handbag behind.

was afraid to bank the money," she added, "and even when I went into the raid shelter in my garden I took it with me. When I went back for it after the 'All Clear' had sounded and found it was gone I nearly went mad."

# POULTRY-KEEPERS' GRIEVANCES

A further diminution in the supply of home produced eggs is forecast by the National Poultry keepers. -

"It is merely adding insult to actual costs of production... injury to the producer," states the letter, "for the Ministry of Food, Costs have increased by at in a time when the marketing least 80 per cent. The position is costs of eggs to the consumer rapidly deteriorating and the inshould be kept down to the ab- dustry is facing a grave crisis."

# BURNT TO DEATH

A four-months'-old child, Leslie Thomas Monks, was fatally residential in Botany Road, Sydney. Detectives have been unable to discover what caused the fire, \*

-At 10 a.m.: the baby's mother, Mrs. Rose Victoria Monks, wheeled him in the push cart about a hotel, until the child fell asleep.

He took the money to Dercham could sleep in the sun," said Mrs.

Half an hour later, John Roche, who occupies a room at the place went into the yard to place a bath towel on the line. "I found the push-cart blazing." he said. "The baby seemed to be enveloped in flames, and shouting to its mother, I lifted him from the eart, and rushed him to the laundry tubs a few feet away. Soapy water was in the troughs, and plunged the child under the water until the flames were extinguish-

this time, however, the child's body was badly burnt, and though he was rushed by ambulance to the Children's Hospital, he died four hours later. Mr. Roche was scorched about the arms, and his shirt sleeves were set alight.

Detective Sergeant Walker, Detectives Fergusson and Hill, and Sergeant Walker, of Redfern, are investigating the cause of

Council in a letter to the Ministry solute minimum, to guarantee the of Food, in which it complains of profits for intermediary traders, "niggardly treatment" of poultry, and, at the same time, to keep the producers' prices down below the

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> be destroyed during air raids fire on the railway junction?" others will still be available.

"The work has taken many explosives on the railway junc- gollo weeks," an official told the press, tion," the colonel told the King. "as only our experts and the most job. Hitler would have given casualties in a German troop millions of pounds to have been train on our first day's firing." able to spend five minutes in the The gun, nicknamed the "Boche | laboratories."

miniatures of the documents to be in action against the Hun should be made was put forward again. before the war, but at that time it was thought not to be necessary,

# JINGOISM

The Rev. Walter H. Armstrong, a Norwich Methodist and first Moderator of the newly formed Free Church Federal Council, believes that the war should silence for ever "all these silly persons who have been telling us that it does not matter what we believe."

dress to the Council in London he he was carrying out espionage the agelared that the war was the officers who had picked up hi fruit of Nazi and Fascist creeds forced into the minds of youth for years past. The atrocious cruelties were the logical outcomes of the beliefs imposed.

"In my judgment, the overwhelming body of Free Churchmen-stand-by-the-Prime-Minis- later-he-was-found-shot .---ter in the gigantic and almost ... Great secrecy was observed at overwhelming burden that lies the preliminary inquest on Cain, heavily upon him. As far as we and neither Press nor public were can, we would help him in the allowed to attend. bearing of the burden," he said. For the last fortnight special London

either dead or breathing its for some time. last breath."

said: "We are witnessing in our generation the most vast and terrific struggle between Christian and non-Christian forces that has ever been seen."

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In a heavy artillery school in the Northern Command a lieutenant-colonel of the Royal Engineers told how on August 8, Miniature photographic dupli- 1918, King George the Fifth came cates of the whole of Britain's to a 14-inch naval gun position on defence secrets and other import a railway near Arras and gave A. H. Compton, Esq., Hon. Mr. T. E. Pearce, tant State documents have now orders for the first shot to be Hon. Mr. S. H. C. C. C. Roberts, Esq.,

After the shot King George told This is the result of day and the lieutenant-colonel in com-

the Germans will have to rush Several sets of prints of each their reinforcements from Ypres Chesco of the documents have been through Douai," said King George made so that if one set should V. "Why not keep up a harassing Fooelow

"Afterwards an English lady trusted men could be put on to the told me that there were 400

. "We dropped 120 tons of high

Buster," and sister gun, known BOXES in various sizes TO LET. A suggestion that photographic as the "Scene Shifter," are soon

# SUSPECT

After Secret Service and C.I.D. officers had chased a suspected spy from Guildford through London and Northampton to Shrewsbury, he was killed in a field on the point of capture. He was John Vincent Cain, a

33-year-old lance-corporal in a London regiment, who, it was alleged, had a criminal record. There is deep mystery in the

circumstances of Cain's death. It has not been established whether he took his own life, as was at first stated. Inquiries showed, it was alleged,

and as there was reason to believe Delivering his inaugural ad- that Cain was a known criminal trail first at Guildford chased Cain to London and thence to Northampton.

Here they missed him by only a Right along the Idw minutes. road that led to Holyhead the chase went on till, near Shrews- | Amoy. bury, Cain took to a field, where Batavia

branch officers have been inves-"From him we hear no giori-: tigating Cain's movements and fication of war as we have done connections during the past few from Hitler and Mussolini, months. When he died he had Jingoism in this country is been absent from his regiment

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By "Adrem"

Consistent bowling by F. R. Zimmern, N. D. Lloyd and D. J. N. Anderson, for K. C. C., gave the Kowloon club a six-wicket victory over Hong Kong Cricket Club in a friendly whole-day game at Chater Road yesterday.

backed by a keen field and both his back play sound. the ground-fielding and catching was particularly good, Anderson taking three good catches and Rapley and F. R. Zimmern distinguishing themselves with their ground-fielding.

Nevertheless, Cricket Club's poor showing with the bat was hard to explain. The wicket was good and the bowling, apart from Lloyd's slows, was not really dangerous.

Richardson and Knight gave i after wickets fell steadily, judi- wickets for just an hour. effective.

## Useful Stand

At 12.17 Cricket Club had lost | Anderson also had a useful appeared in any difficulty, his second spell he was practically

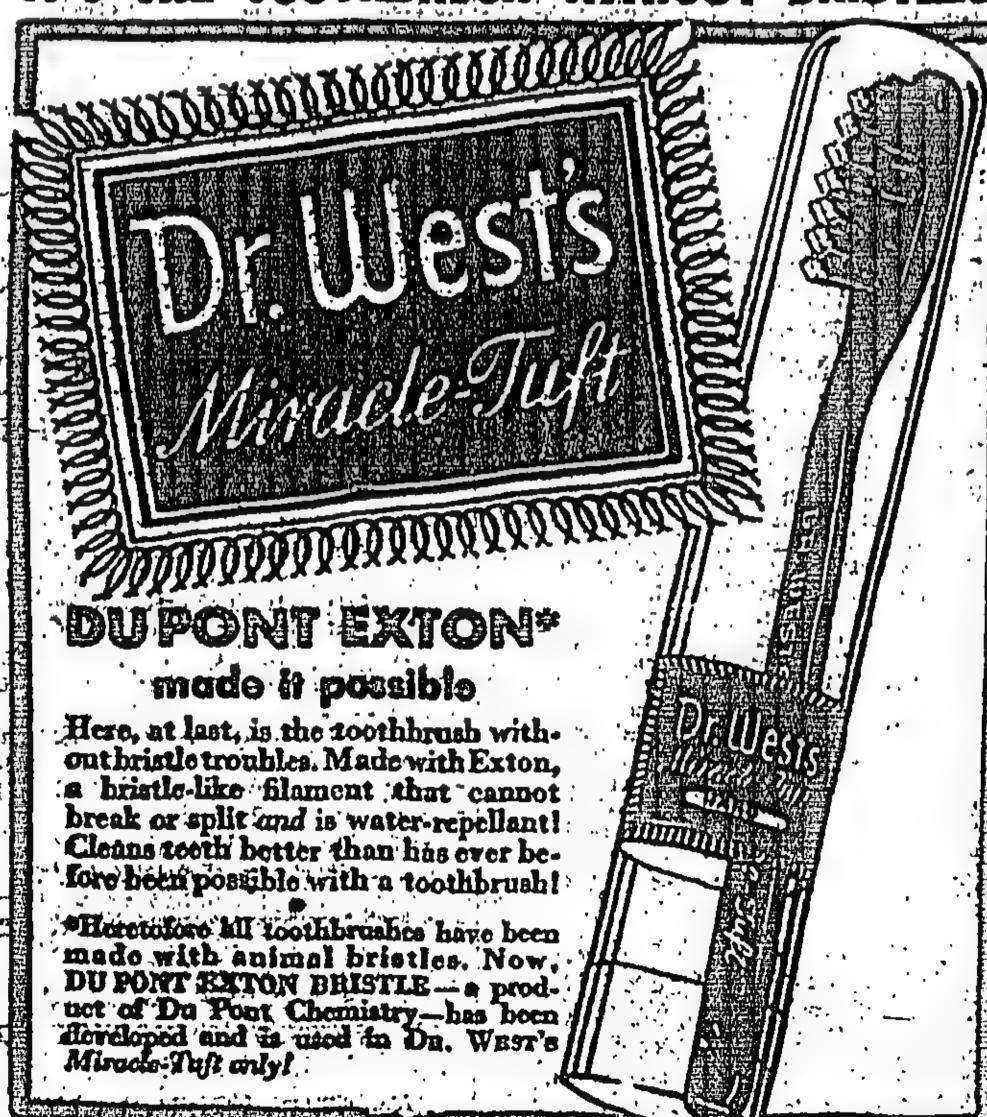
With the score at 76, however, Richarder was brilliantly taken in the clips by Donald Andersoh, who snapped up a quick his hands to but failed to hold. minutes without addition to the

Richardson batted stolidly and H.K.C.C. a useful start, adding at no time looked like getting out. 32 for the first wicket, but there- He hit six tours and was at the

cious bowling changes being most! Although he did not secure the best analysis Lloyd bowled really brilliantly. He was always trying something and had all the batsmen reaching for them.

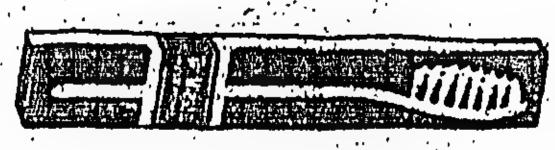
5 for 45 but a stand between spell, taking three wickets in his Richardson and John Pearce first two overs for only one run stopped the rot and it appeared and finishing up with 3 for 4. possible that this pair would pull Zimmern met with scant success the fat out of the fire as both were in his first spell, when he could batting stolidly and Pearce never not find a length, but in his

NEVER SHEDS! CAN'T GET LASTS LONGERI



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# PENALTIES FOR INEFFICIENCY

The War Fund should benefit considerably as the reguit of the introduction, at K.C.C. and H.K.C.C., over the week-end of boxes in which cricketers who drop catches or make "ducks" are required to contribute 20 cents. Both boxes benefited substantially yesterday — H.K. C.C. members in the match at Chater Road donating particularly "génerously!"

The K. C. C. bowlers were forward play being confident and unplayable to take three wickets in his last over for only one rull.

## K.C.C. Bat

K, C. C. were given a good chance which Broadbridge got start by Anderson and Hung, both of whom batted steadily, but after This was the beginning of the | being 40 for 1 a partial collaps; end and a remarkable collapse Let in and the next three wickets followed, the next four wickets [fell for the addition of only 10] falting in the space of 10 runs. A. Zimmern and Mackay and not until 102 runs had been then stayed stogether until the scores were tied and Francis Zimmern came in to make the winning hit.

K. C. C. continued batting, Zimmern going on to make 37 and Teddy Fincher securing 18 not out. At 160. K. C. C. declared and H.K.C.C. had a further 90 'minutes' batting during which some of the brightest cricket of the day was seen.

Alec Pearce hit hard and often and scored 69, including 11 fours and two sixes, in 33 minutes.

## HONG KONG C.C.

J. E. Richardson, c Anderson, b

F. Zimmern' ..... 39 -G. C. Knight, c F. Zimmern, T. A. Pearce, c Fincher, b Anderson O. S. Bosanquet, c Anderson, b Lloyd A. E. Perry, c Lloyd, b Anderson C. D. N. Walker, b Anderson ..... T. L. C. Pearce, c Anderson, b Lloyd T.-V.-N. -Fortescue, b -F. Zimmern----0 H. Owen Hughes, l.b.w., b F. Zimmern ...... E. W. Pudney, not out ..... F. Baker, b Lloyd ..... Extras (B7, LB2) ...... Bowling Analysis Zimmern ..... 9 Lloyd ..... 12.7 Anderson ..... KOWLOON C.C. D. J. N. Anderson, b Baker .....

D. Hung, c T. A. Pearce, b Perry 15 E. F. Fincher, b Baker ..... N. A. E. Mackay, b. T. A. Pearce 35 A. Zimmern, b Owen Hughes ..... F. R. Zimmern, st. Fortescue, b E. C. Fincher, not out Extras (B21, LB5) ......

Total (for 6 wkts.) ...... 160 W. L. Rapley, R. T. Broadbridge, T. A. Madar and N. D. Lloyd did not

# Bowling Analysis

denigne constraint b d. 20 U
Owen Hughes 8 1 26 1
Perry
Baker 5 1 10 2
T. A. Pearce 4 0 26 1
J. L. C. Pearce 3 0 28 0
HK.C.C. (2ND TNNINGS)
T. V. N. Fortescue, st. A. Zim-
mern, b Rapley
T. G. C. Knight, b Lloyd
T. A. Pearce, b. Fincher to the state of the control of the contro
E. W. Pudney, b Fincher 5
D. S. Bosanquet, not out 19
F. Baker, b Anderson
H. Owen Hughes, not out 14
Extras (B9, WB1) 10
Total (for 5 wkts.) 140
J. E. Richardson, A. E. Perry, J. L.

Bowling Analysis

C. Pearce and C. D. N. Walker did not |

Ziminern ..... 4 Lloyd ..... 3 Fincher ..... 4 Rupley ..... 2 Anderson ..... 2 Proadbridge ..... 3 

# MACAULEY'S BIG SCORE

Fine batting by J. Macauley, of Diocesan Boys' son --School, who was brought into the side at the last C.B.A. moment to make up numbers, and the surprising Khalsa failure of the powerful Gunboats Cricket Club batting side featured the friendly whole-day cricket match | Police "A" at Kowloon Cricket Club Engineers yesterday, between the Khalsa junior teams of K.C.C. and and M.T.B.'s H.K.C.C.

K. C. C. Won by the large mar- A. N. Other "XI" v Engineers gin of 102 runs.

K. C. C. batted first and Mis- Ponce "B" cauley and Burch put on 50 for Kumaons the first wicket. Baxter then signals came in and runs came steadily Destroyers added for the second wicket was the partnership broken. Macaulty being caught and bowled by

. Gillespie with his score at 87. The D. B. S. boy hit 13 fours 5th A.A. "B" during a stay at the wickets of 100 minutes and, although he was dropped several times, his innings was a valuable one,

Baxter was very restrained and hit only four fours in his 50 C.B.A. -his second half-century in suc- Recreio cessive matches.

With their score at 213 for 9 Destroyers wickets, K. C. C. declared. Robb | Police "B" bowled very steadily for H.K.C.C. and finished up with 4 for 67 in At one time he Gunboats had conceded 55 runs with- 5th A.A. "B" taking a wicket but he University took his four wickets in his last Engineers three overs for only 9 runs. Finnie | Kumaons "Iso bowled steadily to take 3 for Signals 48 in 15 overs.

H. K. C. C. never looked like getting the runs and Bishop and A. N. Other "XI" v Destroyers Gillespie, who both reached the Police "A" twenties, were the only batsmen C.B.A. to --- offer --- any ---- real --- resistance, | Recreio --- --- v - University -Curtis bowled very well for the Nomads home team to take 3 for 28, while Baldwin's spinners brought him 4 for 44 in eight overs.

K.C.G. 2ND XI . J. Macauley, c and b Gillespie .... R. Burch, run out ..... K. M. Baxter, b Finnie ..... S. A. Gray, b Finnie ..... J. W. Beriram, b Robb ..... R. Baldwin, b Robb ..... E. Curtis, st. Parsons, b Robb .... H. Brokenshire, b Finnie ...... W. W. Parsons, b Robb ..... A. J. Simpson, not out Leigh, not out ....... Extras (Bi, LBI, WBI, NBI)...

Bowling Analysis B'shop ....

Mackenzie ..... 2 Paterson ..... 3 H.K.C.C. 2ND XI D. O. Parsons, e Macaulcy, b Baldwin ..... N. D. Bocker, 1 b.w., b Curlis ..... 10 Kumaons J. C. C. Matthews, c Leigh, b Baldwin ..... R H Griffiths, c Macauley, b Baldwin ..... R. M. M King, b Curting ...... C. W. E. Bishop, c Macauley, b Baldwin ..... 21 Nomada . A. K. Mackenzie, b Curtis Willy A. R. D. Gillespie, b Parsons ....... 29 University R. S. W. Paterson, e Bertram, b Lt.-Cmdr. W G. Finnie, not out ... 5. Extras (B7, LB2, NB3) ...... 12 Police "A"

z. Bowling Analysis - by man Parsons ..... 2 0 

# CORRECTION

The following correction re- Desiroyers garding the Special Dollar Sweep 5th A.A. "B" drawn at the Macao Race Meeting on Sunday thus been issued in by the Macao Jockey Club:-

The first prize in the special sweep (Race No. 5) was drawn 5th A.A. "A" v Nominds. by Ticket No. 04346 and not and M.T.B.'s 0 Ticket No. 14346 as given in Kumaons o yesterday's papers. L.Destroyers

# HOCKEY FIXTURES

Following are the remaining Hong Kong Hockey Association Tournament fixtures for the sea-

3rd Round November 17

Signals

v Destroyers

Recreto v A. N. Other "XI" v Police "A" Kumaons v Nomads Engineers v University v 5th A.A. "A" v, 2nd M,T,B,'s

v Police "B" . Destroyers 4th Round, November 24 v A. N. Other "XI" Nomads v Recreio v Kumaons University' v Signals v 5th A.A. "B" 5th A A, "A" v Gunboats

5th Round, December 1 Police "A" v Nomads CB,A, v Recreio v 2nd M.T.B.'s v University v Khalsa v 5th A.A. "A"

6th Round, December 8 v A. N. Other "XI" University Engineers v Police "A" Nomada Y C.B.A. 5th A,A, "A" v Police "B" v Kuniaons Gunboats 'v Signals Khalsa v Destroyers

7th Round, December 15, 'A. N. Other "XI" v 5th A.A. "B" v University Police "A" v Engineers v Nomads Kumaons v Gunboats v Signals v Khalsa

2nd M.T.E.'s v 5th A.A. "A" '8th Round, December 22 v A. N. Other "XI" v Police "A" v CBA. v Recreio v Destroyers · 'v Police "B" v 2nd M.T.B.'s Khalsa

9th Round, December 29 v Gunboats . v 5th A.A. "B" v Engineers Police "B" 'v Kumaons 2nd M.T.B.'s v Signals 5th A.A. "A" . v Khalsa

10th Round, January 5, 1941 A. N. Otner "XI" v 'Police "B" Destroyers v Police "A" Gunboats v C.B.A. 5th A.A. "B" .v Recreio v Nomads University Kumnons v 2nd M.T.B.'s Signals v 5th A.A. "A"

11th Round, January 12

2nd M.T.B.'s. v A. N. Other Police "A" v Police "B" C,BA, Destroyers Recreio Gunboats 'Nomads v 5th A.A. "B" Engines cs v University 5th A A, "A' v Kumaons v Signals

12th Round, January 19 A. N. Other "XI" v 5th A.A "A" 2nd M,T.B.'s v Police "A" Police "B" v 'C.B.A... Destroyers v Recreio Gunboats . . v Nomads 5th A.A. "B" v. Engineers

13th Round, January 26 • • • V 'A. N. Other "XI" 5th A.A. "A" v Police "A" C.B.A. v. 2nd M.T.B.'s Recreio v Police "B" v Destroyers Engineers : 'v Gunboais v. 5th 'A.A, '"B" w. Kumaons

A. N. Other "XI" v Signals v Khalsa C.B.A. v 5th A.A. "A" v Recreto Nomada. v Police "B". R. W. Engineers v Destroyers Gunboats v. University

> 15th Round, February 9. Kumaons 'Signals Khalsa 5th A.A. "A" Nomada -Pillen "B"

v A. N. Other "XI" 'v Police "A" V. C.B.A. v Recrelo v and M.T.B.'s v Recineers v University ·v Gunboats

Police "A" C.B.A. Recreio

16th Round, February 16 v Kumaons Signals V Engineers "v 'University: `v "566, XXX. "B"

By ∵SQUADDY", Expensed

N the second round of the Small Units' football competition, there were one or two surprises with the formidable "A" Company team of the Small Units' Middlesex losing to "D"

Football Company.of the Royal Scots. Their feam includes several | battalion first and second eleven lootballers.

Another surprise result was the R.A.S.C. being beaten by "C" three goals to two.

Results to date in the second! round;---24th Hvy. Bty. R.A. beat the FUND.

R.A.O.C. 4-0, 22nd (F) Coy. R. E. beat "A" Coy. of the Royal Scots 4-0. "C" Coy, of the Royal Scots beat the R.A.S.C. 3—2.

"D" Coy, of the Royal Scots beat "A" Coy, of the Middlesex 1-0, R.A.F. beat "B" Coy. of the Roval Scots 2-1.

Royal Scots by four clear goals, bigger score. It was a match which promised to be quite interesting but, owing to various incidents especially in the latter part of the game, it was completely spoiled. From the kick-off the Scots had the Sappers pinned in their own half and from a scramble in the goalmouth the ball was sent up the said to Li Wai-lum who, after beating Naysmith, sent in a terrific shot which gave Bankier no chance but luckily enough hit the upright and rebounded into his hands; he was unable to hold it, however, and Jones, dashing in, hooked the ball into the net to give the Sappers the lead.

From then on the Sappers had most of the play and Fox received the ball, and, after working his way towards the goal, he let drive and gave the Engineers their second gaol. After the interval the Sappers increased their score to three, and the final goal came through Jones taking a shot at goal which Bankier misjudged and one of the defenders deflected into the net.

COR the great event to-morrow. vicinity of Stonecutters Island, the undermentioned Rowing crews will take part and the Engineers | 19-8: Regatta\_ and\_Service \_Corps, \_\_ The--Gunners- were severely who are the two will be worth watching. A good

seen. Crews taking part are as fol- IN the Hong Kong Hockey tournalows:---

Btv. R.A.; 24th Hvy. Bty. R.A.; Fortress Royal Engineers; Carrier Hockey Nomads by two goals Company of the Middlesex; and the Royal Army Service Corps.

season on Saturday when they de- interval. feated Hong Kong. Despite the big margin by which wickets at

Chater Road.

they won last season. They lost their first five wickets for by scoring a third. 25 runs and did well to reach 92

for 40 runs.

On Saturday, the Engineers drew. 122 for eight declared giving the Civil Service 123 to win, They had reached 98 for seven when the light failed. Major Grose, the Area Cricket Secretary, made a fine 48 daries.

Pay Corps drew with the Civil A grand solo run down the field Service scored 124 and the Pay scored the fourth goal, putting the

kots for 49 runs. At first he could most what they liked with the ball, lady athletes in the Colony. not stop him: Significant leading

benten by the Central British cournament.

# he Rest Good Walue For Victory Over The Services

# Cheung Wing-Choi In Form Moxham, Roughlev Defend Well

GROUND YESTERDAY TO SEE THE REST OF Company of Royal Scots in a good THE COLONY DEFEAT COMBINED SERVICES BY THREE CLEAR GOALS IN THEIR ANNUAL SOCCER MATCH IN AID OF THE POPPY DAY

Before the big game, carly ar-| cheong, Lai Shiu-wing, Howlett rivals were kept in good spirits by and Hau Ching-to. the annual clash between the Press and Referees which ended in a draw.

Displaying better understanding and combination Rest were the more aggressive side and only the sterling work of Moxham, in goal, The 22nd (F) Coy. Engineers and Roughley, right-back, predeservedly beat "A" Coy, of the | verited them from running up a

# Roughley On Form

and had the full measure of the through Tam' Chan-kin. Omar, Press;-A. M. Omar; Maher, or no support by the wing halves, run of play the Referees equalis- and O. M. Omar.

seldom worked well as a unit. For the Rest, Cheung Wing- the ball. Ip was left in posses- Taylor and Lee Bing-tong. choi was brilliant between the sticks and the fact that the Sertion. Howlett gave a surprisingly good performance and fitted in well into an all-Chinese forward

Lai Shiu-wing (2) and Fung! King-cheong scored for Rest of the Colony.

Roughley, Edmunds; Parnaby, Wilkinson;

Blackburn, Lee Tin-sang; Pope, Over Wahoos. Miss Fitz-

trounced by the Rebest-fancied crews in this event, Softball creio Bees 42-6 and Royal Scots and Air display of oarsmanship should be Force did not play.

ment only one service team 17th A.A. Bty. R.A.; 7th A.A. played over the week-end. The to nil and all other

matches were cancelled. At Sookunpoo last week the Engineers defeated the 5th 'A.A. THE Combined Small Units did Regt., R.A., by eight goals to three well in their first match of the after being one goal down at the

Cricket Club juniors they won, the game was in doubt until the last 20 minutes. Owing to a very shaky start by the de-Small Units have a strong team fence the Engineers were - two and should be able to retain the goals down in the first few min-Large Units Cricket Cup, which utes of the game. Shortly after this Shaw gave—them their first Club batted first and scored 92. goal but the Gunners soon replied

This rather shook the Engineers due to the fine batting of R.M.M. but they then began to liven up, King who made a brilliant 39, and although their forwards made The Small Units replied with repeated onslaughts on the Guning 49, Stoner 30, and Lieut. make any headway, until Twomey, of Pilot-Sergeant. Coombes 25 not out: Capt. Dewar following up the ball, scored after of the R.A.S.C. took five wickets the goalkeeper had cleared the ball with a first timer.

with the Civil Service, who scored three goals to two for the Gunners, in Shanghai, passed through the Grosten, one of the Sappers play- en route to Manila." ers, was hit on the leg and had to leave the field; this was not sur- Johnny Mayhew, one of the prising, in fact the surprising part keenest followers of local basehot out in which were eight boun- of it was that there were not more ball, left for San Francisco in the casualties!

tervice juniors at Sookunpoo after by Shaw put the Engineers on good and exciting game. Civil level terms and : Homburg then Corps 87 for six wickets. . Yaung of the Pay Corps did well the Gunners could not stop their with his bowling and took 5 wie- opponents, who were doing al-

not settle down but when he did . During the latter part of the inally find his length they could game the ball never left the Gunners half and the Sappers went liable ource that Miss Freda Sal. further shead getting four mon, who took such a prominent VER the week end Services more goals to win by eight goals part in University athletics of teaths once akain could not to three. If the Engineers keen this year ago, will shortly be leaving. not going and the Engineers were up they will go a long way in the for Canada, where she will study | sems

The raffle for the ball used in the game was won by ticket No. 202.

## Annual Tussle

In the curtain raiser, the com- bers for their cooperation ferces one-all in a game which, in all-round improvements if it did not attain a very high the Club. standard, never lacked exciting moments and the crowd was kept in good humour throughout.

Roughley played a great game | Press netted in the first half ting. The forwards, though good in- ed through Ip. A. M. Omar, ran | Referees:-Ford; Fraser, King

Kowloon Indian Tennis Club was held on Sunday, and the following were elected officers for the ensuing year,—President, Assudamal Vasyani; Vice-Presidents, Messrs. Bhagwan, Ditta and Feroz Din; Hon. Secretary Mr. Ishar Singh Paritam; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Mit Singh; Bar Convenor, Mr. Attar Singh: Tennis representative, Mr. Surjan Singh; Hockey representative, Mr. Karnail Singh; Ground representative. Mr. Gurbux Singh; Committee, Messrs, Prem Nath Sharma, Sahib Khan, Rattan Singh, C. S. Garewall and Abdul Azziz.

The retiring President, Mr. bined Press drew with the 'Re- goodwill, which, he said, resulted

sion and had no difficulty in net-

nippy winger Hau Ching-to, while centred and Fraser headed the Mo Chi-ming: Muk Kan-yue, Bright worked very hard in the ball straight to Tam who made Martin, Au Shi-ngok; Turner, A. pivotal berth but was given little no mistake. Much against the T. Lee, Tam Chun-kon, Munton

dividually, lacked cohesion and out to catch a high ball and col- Kan-piu; Demce, Brackenbury lided with Mo who also went after Wilson; Carley, Smith, K. K. Ip,

# due to his wonderful anticipa- From Here And There

Cardinals were handicapped in their League Phippens, Lavidia, both of whom tries are forthcoming. Pearson, Hossack, Saw and Gil- played a big part in their Rest: — Cheung Wing - choi; recent sensational victory which is taking place in the Chung Yung-sum, Fung King-sing; gerald is laid up with a bout of malaria, while Miss Lavidia sustained a fractured\_finger\_in\_the match against Wahoos.

> Miss Connie Maxwell is latest recruit to golf. She been put up for membership at Country Club, Sheungshui.

Maxy Edwards, who pitched Hong Kong Baseballers to victory in their. recent match against Recreio, was a member of the Shanghai Bucoancers' softball team which won the championship in Shanghai recently. .

Billy Clague, former member Hong Kong Baseball Club, has enrolled as a freshman at Leland Stanford Unjversity in California, United States: He will be keeping up his baseball and will also be playing golf, at which game he is showing considerable promise.

The many friends of W. E. Peers, former Interport Rugby player, will be interested to learn that he has been given a commission in the Royal Air Force, and is said to have made several trips over Berlin. It will be recalled that Peers, who was in command of the local Volunteer Air Arm, joined up soon after TEETH ARE DULL AND LIFELESS. Don't 142 for four wickets, French mak- ners' goal, they-were unable to war was declared, with the rank

> E. W. Loveless, formerly a keen member of Hong Kong Cricket Half time came with the score Club and who has been stationed Ten minutes after the re-start Colony in the course of the week.

> > course of the week.

A. O. Barretto, Hon. Secretary. of Victoria Recreation Club, and one who has done a great deal for local swimming, will be married shortly to Miss Gloria D'Almada e Castro, formerly one of the best

It is learned from a very re-

# The annual general meeting of

Mahan Singh thanked the mem-

There is some talk among mem-! Accounts for the Season 1939/40. hers of Queen's College Old Boys' 4. To incorporate additions and

Association concerning the revival, Amendments of the Rules of the softball fixture on Sunday of the "Raiston Cup" tennis tour- Association. by the absence of Betty O.B.A. Matches, it is stated, will mittee for the Season 1940/41. Combined Services:--Moxham; Fitzgerald and Marina be played on the school's ground 8. To receive suggestions on at Causeway Bay if sufficient en- the Annual Dinner.

Following Navy Rugby have been announced: Royal Navy versus Police in the first match of the Quadrangular Tourna-

ment on Saturday:-Tel: Honeywill; Mid. Robinson, Mid. Bucknet, A/Ldg. Tel. Paul and S/Lt. McGill: Lt. Carter (Capt.) and S/Lt. Rutherford; L. S. A. Palmer, Lt. Watson, Sgt. Manfield, F/Lt. Taylor, S/Lt. Beattle, S/Lt. Wilkinson, C. P. O. Wtr. King and S/Lt. Poole.

Reserves:-F/Lt. Wright, A/Ldg. Tel. Bowden, Cadet Lamble, Lt.-Cdr. Clark, Lt. (E), Brown, S/Lt. Carey and L. S. Brewer,

"A" TEAM Navy "A" versus Club "A" to-morrow kick-off 5 p.m. on Club ground!---P. O. Clough; Marine Recs. S/Lt. Brown, Cadet Lamble and P. O. Skin-. ner; S/Lt. Smith and Lt.-Cdr. Clark (Capt.); S/Lt: Eager, L. S. Tonns, P/O Baugh, A. B. Grangle, Sig. Garbett, Ord. Sea. Taylor, Cadet Hurley and A. B. Hughes,

Reserves:-Mid. Wood, Tel. Faulkner, E. A. Wilson, S. B. A. Addis, Ldg. Sig. Mitchell and S/Lt, Thornhill,

# REFEREES

The Annual General | IVIeeting of the Hong Kong Football Referecs' Association will be held at the Hotel Cecil to-day at 8

1. To read and confirm minutes of the last Annual General Meet-

2. To read Chairman's Report. 3. To receive and adopt the

5. To elect Officials and Com-

7. Any other business.

Would you clean your teeth with Imagine the effect of cleaning your teeth with gravel I. The: delicate enamel would soon be destroyed, wouldn't it?

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# FURTHER QUAKE TREMORS

Fires Break Out: Rescue Workers Killed

# GABON FALLS TO

have occupied Libreville, in Bucharest itself. the last port in Equatorial Africa which remained loyal to Vichy.

The Free French forces are ing to military despatches from Leopoldville, in the Belgian

authorities in Gabon'to cease use- be stopped. less resistance. — International News Service.

SUPPLEMENTARY UNIT OF THE ROYAL ENGINEERS. CONSISTING OF OVER 1,800 DOCKWORKERS AND RAIL-WAY MEN, ARE NOW AT WORK REMOVING DEBRIS AND REPAIRING PIPE-LINE IN LONDON.

.The unit was formed in 1938 and has the distinction of being the first to land in France and the last to leave. — Reuter.

## DR. SUN YAT-SEN'S BIRTHDAY

All Chinese schools, colleges and universities in Hong Kong closed to-day and a representative meeting of Chinese bodies was held in the King's Theatre at 9 a.m. to commemorate the ceived £1,000 from Maltese com- sum was added prize of \$100, donbirthday anniversary of the late munities in Egypt, bringing the ated by Mr. Kwok Chun-shing, Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Father of the total subscribed by these people Director of the Chun Shing Com-Chinese Republic.

# Galatz, The Oil Port Suffers Severely

FURTHER EARTHQUAKE tremors were General de Gaulle's felt in Rumania yesterday. Only slight damreported to age as a result of the fresh tremors is reported

While rescue workers were busy on the debris of a new block of flats, however, oil thus in control of Gabon, accord- tanks in the basement exploded and fires broke out.

Congo.

It is understood that the Vichy A number of rescue workers Government cabled the colonial were killed and work had to

and clear idea of the total number of casualties or damage.

One Bucharest report says that casualty figures, are coming in from village after village as communications are gradually restored.

The oil and grain port of Galatz has also suffered heavy damage.

Moscow radio yesterday reported feeling the "strongest shock ever recorded," although no serlous damage was done and there were no casualties. The tremors Russian cities like Odessa.

ported from a number of points in Bessarabia and the Ukaine. ---Reuter.

# - MALTA

so far to £2,000. — Reuter.

For five hours yesterday — from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. one hundred and eight! cabaret girls danced for China's soldiers.

The scene was the Capital Ballroom at West Point, where all the were particularly severe in South taxi-dancers turned out as "volunteer" dancers, contributing Damage and casualties are re- their entire earnings for those five hours to the "Chinese Soldiers' Warm Clothing Fund" organised under the auspices of the Hong Kong Chinese Women's Club and held under the Chairmanship of Madame Wu Te-Chen, wife of the Minister of Overseas Affairs.

Some \$2,000 was raised in the The Malta Relief Fund has re- course of the evening and to this mercial-Academy, to the girl who obtained the highest number of dance-tickets.

# STOCK EXCHANGE DEALINGS

On the London Stock Exchange, Foreign Bonds, especially Far Eastern and Brazilian Bonds were firm, Sao Paulo coffee Seven Per Cents advanced from £35 to

Greek Seven Per Cents, also strengthened.

Leading. industrials were bought at higher levels and rubber shares attracted increased attention: ... Kaffins and diamonds were supported but other sections, including gilt-edged securities ruled quiet. Wall Street was closed,—Reuter.

## ..ITALIANS IN DOG-FIGHT OVER THAMES ESTUARY

(Continued from Page 1): the attacks on Britain was provided yesterday.

Hurricanes shot down eight Italian machines — five bombers and three fighters — which were trying to raid shipping in the Thames Estuary.

The Italians for some time have been claiming-that their machines were sharing in the attacks around Britain, but so far they have not succeeded in dropping bombs on Britain's soil by daylight.

"Up to early in the afternoon,. 13. German Pplanes had a alsobeen shot, down.

Two were shot down over the sea, and the rest were brought down when they tried to get through to London, which between! dawn and yesterday afternoon had five "alerts."

In the first and over 100 German planes took part. - wa. however, they were met by Spitfires and Hurricanes and split up into small formations.

Forty of them got to the outskirts of London but only four actually reached the city,

Later in the morning there was another attack, but the raiders were met with an intensive A.A. barrage and changed course almost limited intoly: --- Reuter.

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(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

MANY HIGH GERMAN AND ITALIAN MILITARY OFFICERS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED IN THE RUMANIAN EARTH-PLOETSI THE OIL-FIELDS, THE MOST IMPORTANT IN RUMANIA, ARE REPORTED TO BE ON FIRE. - INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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# ITALIANS IN DOGFIGHI OVER THAMES ESTUARY

# CHINESE HERO IN EMPRESS OF JAPAN

The "Empress of Japan" was brought safely to port owing to the coolness and heroism of Captain Thomas and her Chinese quartermaster.

This is disclosed now that the ship, so well known in the Far East, has arrived safely at her destination.

The only sign of the attack-by the German bomber is a slightly damaged rail, suffered when one bomb struck the rail a glancing blow, and a few lifeboats; which were hit by machine-gun bullets:

One of the crew, describing the captain's coolness, said: "The skilful way in which he zigzagged the ship out of danger and avolded a direct hit, gaved 'us all.

"The Chinese quartermaster a the wheel was a hero.

# Plane Hit

"Lying prone on his stomach to dodge machine-gun fire, he carried out perfectly every

der from the skipper." After: one shell had, burst under one of the raider's wings, the plane was seen to be rocking, and the gunners of the "Empress of Japan" are certain the taider did not get away unscathed. ---Reuter.

# WOLOTOV CROSSES

M. Molotov, who is due in Berlin this morning, arrived in German territory at Molkinia last evening, accompanied by the German Ambassador to Moscow, Baron von Schuaccording lenburg, D.N.B.

Ho was received by the People's Protocol. Doernberg, wand 'n the Chief of Staff Lor the Fuchrer's Deputy, SS Leader Stenger.

M. Molotov will be motent the stution in Berlin to-day by Ribbentrop, says the report.

According to the Berlin correspondent of the "Basler Nachrich-Ribbentrop" has "gone " to Kotnigsberg to meet Molotov. ---

# Pie For Hurricane Squadron: Axis Has Bad Day In Air

"ARK ROYAL" IN ACTION AT SARDINIA

Aircraft from the "Ark Royal" delivered bombing attack yesterday on the harbour and aerodrome. of Cagliari in Sardinia.

It is officially recorded only that bombs were dropped in the target area, that explosions and fires were observed, and that the Italians retaliated by attacking the Ark Royal but made no hit, caused no casualties and no damage.

Two Italian aircraft were destroyed by British fighters which suffered no losses. — Reuter.

# 000000000000000000000

Hopes of saving thirty skyscraper appear to have Atlantic. been abandoned.

roply, on the talephone ... Ime Service: which had enabled the trappad to communicate with rot have been evacuated.

least 207 people were killed in peasants are homeless. the Carlton Building alone. News from the provinces adds

now been asphyxiated.

ARMISTICE DAY was celebrated with decisive victories over the air forces of the Axis. Up to four o'clock yesterday afternoon, R.A.F. had destroyed thirteen Italian planes and 13. German planes, all over the British Isles.

In the course of these combats, the Royal Air Force lost only two planes. It is officially announced that some of the Italian airmen, brought down in the Thames Estuary, were taken prisoner.

The thirteen Italian machines shot down consisted of seven bombers and six fighters.

HIGH AXIS

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IMPORTANT INTRUMANIA...

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MANY: HIGH GERMAN

Many enemy formations were over South-east England during the day and were heading for London but they were all routed and only a few planes succeeded in, reaching the capital.

London observed the Two Minutes' Silence with bowed heads during one of the many alerts. Further afield, flerce air battles were being waged over men and women everywhere standing ut

attention. Attack On Shipping

It is not clear, writes Reuter's air correspondent, what part, if any, the Italians took in the raids on London itself: The Air Ministry communique deals only with German attempts to reach London, in the morning, and, during German attacks on South-East Coast towns in the afternoon, with an Italian attempt to attack shipping in the Thames Estuary.

# Eight Shot Down

Eight Italian aircraft were shot down in this combat by a single squadron of Hurricanesnearly all fell into the sea:

One, which ended its career on (Continued On Page 16)

# AT BASE

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL") The Air Ministry announces that people who were trapped the Royal Air Force has again alive beneath the ruins violently bombed Lorient, which is the main German submarine of the Carlton Building base for attacks on shipping in the

Several U-boats are reported to have received direct hits during The last voice has consed to the raid. - International News

coue workers since the disas Travellers, recount that the oil tor on Sunday. And her ment fields are a spectacle of desoluit is feared that they have tion; Hundreds of villages are leaid to have been razed to the Latest estimates show that at ground. Tens of thousands of

More than a thousand badly hourly to the total death rolling damaged houses in Bucharest Reuter

# ITALIANS FLEE DISORDER

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA" MAIL") Italian troops in the western Ionian coastal area are reported in Athens to be fleeing in a disorderly retreat.

They were hurled back in confusion after Greek troops defending the Janina region crushingly defeated two Fascist units. Two mechanised battalions are reported to have been completely routed in a bloody battle,

which took place just south of the Kalamas River International News Service

A SMALL OIL - DUMP CAUGHT FIRE THIS MORNING IN MURRAY BARRACKS, BE-HIND THE DETENTION PRI-SON, AND MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL SCOTS, WITH FIXED BAYONETS, THREW A. COR-DON: AROUND THE FENTIRE AREA.

Four or five fire engines arrived soon after the alarm was given and the fire was under -control within a short period.

Some nearby trees caught fire and the firement experienced some difficulty...in - concentrating: hoses on the outbreak, owing to the distance from the spot of water



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# Invasion Plans Ciraziani's Regarded As Nigh Impossible

Britain's Widdle East Campalgn

(By Reuter's Military Correspondent)

STEADY PROGRESS AND CONTINUED IN-PROVENENT IS THE THEME OF A STATE-MENT ABOUT THE MIDDLE EAST WHICH WAS ISSUED IN LONDON YESTERDAY.

It is a situation which should be regarded in retrospect "counting our many difficulties, because General Wavell has had a heavy task."

to deal with the collapse of it had been made even more French resistance.

dle East. It spread outwards any attack. from one centre until one huge area after another, which began with stout assurances of continued resistance, slowly fell until even. Gentilhomme, true to his mame paign: and last to hold out) gave way.

the common effort.

'General Wavell had to reorganise his plans without French help and it is, with this in mind; that the following statement, is: sued, yesterday, should be con-

# Desert Attack

The Italian advance across the most impossible.

"In addition, British troops in the Italians. the Middle East have been steadily, reinforcéd in number and equipment until to-day they form what is described about as good see."

in their tactical training, which is proves. Galabat, is important as free city. regarded as inferior to that of the an entry to Abyssinia and the British troops.

# All The Moves

ern desert has immensely im- into hostile hands, it is affirmed pressure. As time goes on many proved in the last rew months. The conditions under the exist- more will be uprooted for the Both armament and defences are ling regime appear to be fairly Powers see a crisis rising in the better and the men know all the stable.—Reuter. moves in desert warfare. If the Germans are able to reinforce the Italians on this front, it will take them some time to attain proficiency in this type of fighting.

It is believed there are no German troops in Libya at present except technicians and probably man troops in Libya at present advisers. The Italians are using mainly the forward area. They are not getting much material and oil into Libya but they are COUX. GOVERNOR-GENERAL believed to have accumulated OF FRENCH INDO-CHINA, REsubstantial reserves.

Crete as a naval base, Italian dif- QUOTED BY REUTER, ficulties, should Libya not be reinforced, would be even greater.

# Arduous Campaign

British difficulties are not concerned with manhower. The quality of the troops is excellent and they have been steadily reinforced from New Zealand, Australia and India as well as from Britain..

It is the staff's intention to maintain a stream of armoured weapons and aeroptanes, to; be able to strike at the point calculated to do the enemy most.

however, expect the campaign in Italian communique, has been re- The unit was formed in 1938; and strengthoused. the Middle East to be an arduous occupied by Italian troops, is, in has the distinction of being the Leading industrials were tions, including gilt-edged, securify and a hard fought struggle of fact, still in British limids. ...... first to land in France and the last, bought at higher levels and rub- ties ruled quiet. Wall Street, was many phases.

Only a few months ago, he had, As to Gibraltar's position, there, powerful in the last few months. Forces there have been working That collapse, though imme-like beavers, strengthening dediate, in Europe, was not so im- fences and they are confident of mediate in all parts of the Mid- being able to successfully resist

## Vital Points

The following are vital points fateful Djibuti (where General in the coming Middle East cam-

(1) At all costs, Britain musti-The French forces were larger retain its hold on Egypt because than the British and the Anglo- of the strategic importance of the French plans were made jointly. | Suez Canal and Alexandria. The enemy must be beaten here be-In all theatres, they had agreed cause on British victory depends to bear a considerable portion of her ability to help her friends. .

> (2) Britain must do her best to assist Greece.

(3) At the earliest moment that resources allow, Britain will strike; the enemy at the point which will do him most injury and strike with all he

The liaison between the Army desert to attack Alexandria is so and R.A.F. in the Western Desert difficult an operation as to be al- is excellent and the Air Force has shown a tactical superiority over

# Italians Sensitive

Where the Italians are weak is the British capture, of Galabat an independent community and Italians have used a great number of 'planes in their counter-attacks.

Syria, presents difficulties. Bri-'The British position in the west- tain can never, allow Syria to fall, -'evacuated' under governmental

VICE-ADMIRAL. JEAN DE-SIGNED YESTERDAY, ACCORD-Now, with the British using ING TO A JAPANESE REPORT

Decour was appointed Governor-General on June 20 by

the "Vichy" Government. The reason for his resignation is said to be the increasing difficulties created by a strong group of pro-de Gaulle followers in

Salgon. The Vichy Government is expecied to appoint a new Governor-General soon.—Reuter. prolif needs to be emphasised that this is a Japanese report.

# IN BRITISH HANDS

Galabat, the small village in the Sudan near the Abyssinian AND REPAIRING PIRE-LINE IN £38. Military, experts in London, frontier which, according to an LONDON. British Wireless



Many feet below a mansion in the S.E. district, a night she ter, accommodating about eight families, has now been built. Here parents and their children get all the rest that they need for the noise of London's barrage of anti-aircraft guns, cannot be heard. The shelter has been equipped with all conveniences and cooking facilities, and the residents are able to regard it almost as a home from home. Photo shows them sleeping in safety. (Copyright, Fox).

Considerable comment was caused in Shanghai for victory when the hour yesterday by a full-page comes," declared Mr. Anadvertisement appearing in an evening paper and signed "Elly" Widler, well known Shanghai character, appealing for support of his scheme to establish a "Free Shanghai."

In East. Africa, the Italians are . This scheme which Widler has an army as one could hope to sensitive about the Abyssinian already expounded in the Press. I front as their violent reaction to in Shanghai would make the city

> The advertisement begins with the passage: "They are calling it n lost city, this great metropolis whose welfare is your welfare. Already some are being torn away Pacific and are abandoning the city to the fortunes of war. It is your city, they are abandoning. Why should they? .... This is the first time a working plan has been set forth to rescue Shang-1 haj . . . . There would be nofear of war.

"Flung open to trade, the city further." would be safe-guarded from attacks from any side. The Powers would guarantee this, for in this way they would guarantee their own interests. All armies would be withdrawn to a radius of 50 miles. Inside this new frontier, Shanghai would grow with no obstacle to stop growth." - Reu-

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to leave. - Reuter.

# When the R.A.F.

"We shall strike home thony Eden, Secretary of State for War, in a broadcast to British and Allied troops in the Middle East. it is revealed in London.

Mr. Eden told them that the future was safe in their hands. "Yours is the quality that com-

mands success," he declared:

He continued:—

"This journey I have just completed to the Middle East command has been for me a most vivid and encouraging experience. I should like to congratulate each one of you, from General Wavell to the most recently arrived private-soldier; on the splendid; efficiency: and keeness, displayed by

# Unbroken Faith.

"No discomfort can subdue your parties, no hardship can weaken spirits, 'no hardship: can weaken your resolution.

"Reinforcements in men and are beaterial have been and are bematerial have been and are being sent to strengthen you still

Mr. Edon told the forces that "Tin can wives" were advised their relations; and friends in London ... were: seenduring withe nightly air attacks with a calm courage, which had won the admiration of the world.

The same spirit inspired the forces of the Middle East and together, they shared unbroken inith in the inal triumph.—Reuter.

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They included oil plants at Gelsenkirchen, the Ruhr and Bremen, factories at Essen, (Krupps) Mannheim, Amsterdam (Fokker) and Dresden, the docks and shipping at Kiel and Duisberg, and: at the scaports, Lorient, Cherbourg, Le Havre, Dunkirk, and Flushing, railway junctions at Danzig, Dessau, Munster, Mannheim and Dresden and also 14 nerodromes in Germany and enemy-accupied territory.

During daylight operations yesterday, shipping was attacked in the harbours of Boulogne and Calais. Five of our aircraft are: missing.—British Wireless.

to lose their tin, openers for a while, by Mr. Leslie Pym, Parliamentary Secretary, to the Ministry of Food, when he opened a "kitchen." front" | campaign at

"Don't use tinued a food when fresh food is available," he said:

Expert scientists and housewives had recopporated with the Government to discover the most valuable dishes and best ways of cooking, them, and the Governess ment was spreading this knowledge abroadi.

"It was not the roast beef of England that made our ancestore weald Mr. Hym, "but home." made broad and choese, ....

"Bread, milk, catmeal, cheese

Greek, Seven, Per Conts, also tention. Kamns and diamonds. were supported but other sec-

# NAZIS PUTTING ON A SHOW

Little Political Result Likely In Molotov Visit

# Striving For Pool As Between U.S. Britain

(By Reuter's Diplomatic Correspondent) IT IS CONSIDERED unlikely that there will be any dramatic political developments from M. Molotov's visit to Berlin.

Nevertheless, the Germans are obviously anxious to suggest certain possibilities, as is evident from their reference to the presence of Herr von Papen, Nazi Ambassador to Turkey.

The German propaganda machine is doing its best to build up a circumstantial case,

Ribbentrop is going to the frontier to meet M. Molotov and Berlin will doubtless put on its most festive garb, so far as this is permitted by the Royal Air Force.

The fact that M. Molotov is accompanied by thirty-two experts tells its own story of the course the negotiations are likely to pursue. There are expents in trade, metaliurgy, agriculture — in a word, all the raw materials 'that' Russia 'produces, as well as specialists in aircraft production.

Germany is obviously trying to stage a demonstration whereby an attempt would be made for Russian resources to be pooled, something on the lines of Britain's arrangement with the United States.

# Russian Policy

But both Kalinin and Timoshenko have just made speeches in which they have emphasised Russia's determination to be strong and neutral. It would be surprising if Russia suddenly tuined her back on this policy.

The governing factor in her recent policy has been considera-... Reuter.

# RAIDED

FOR THE FIRST TIME, DAN-ZIG HAS BEEN RAIDED BY THE RAIF, IN ONE OF THE LONGEST RAIDS MADE OVER GERMANY AND GERMAN OC-CUPIED TERRITORY.

The distance to Danzig and back home is well over 2,000 miles.

Mannheim, Essen and Gelsenkirchen also came in for "treati ment."

Mannheim is the town where the famous Krupp works are situated and was subjected to a 4-hour raid a few nights ago, while Gelsenkirchen's oil plants have been raided over 30 times. - Reuter.

## ARABS TO FIGHT FOR EGYPT

Fifty Arab chieftains representtion for her own interests. She ling tribes in the Nile valley and is determined to keep out of the desert met in Cairo yesterday and war and will doubtless do every- expressed their determination to thing to preserve her neutrality. Aght in the defence of Egypt. --



The Nazis falled to find the 'Nightingale when they bembed. Berkeley Equare and they also missed an owl (stuffed) that is resident there. (Copyright, Fo x).

British planes operating from Greek air fields have again bombed embarkation points in Ital and Albania and have joined the Greek planes Time in attacking supply trains and troops behind the enemy front line, says a message from Athens.

Greece has had two days' respite from air raids, but a small village on the island of Crete was -bombed--on-Sunday. No •material dumage was donc. /

- In the few⊲days sincs (British) forces arrived in Grete, it has hecome is strongly defended icland and British guns manned by veteran troops are iguarding "the "steep "hills."

Yesterday morning, an Italian bomber was shot down near Kandia, Crete's main city.

This is the first enemy machine to be brought down in Crete. ... Reuter.

# CABARET

For five hours yesterday — from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. one hundred and eight cabaret girls danced for China's soldiers.

The scene was the Capital Ballroom at West Point, where all the taxi-dancers turned out as "volunteer" dancers, contributing their entire earnings for those five hours to the "Chinese Soldlers' Warm Clothing Fund' organised under the auspices of the Hong Kong Chinese Women's Club and held under the Chairmanship of: Madame Wu Te-Chen, wife of the Minister of Overseas Affairs.

 Some, \$2,000 [was: raised] in 1/the. course of the evening and to this sum was added prize of \$100, donated by Mr. Kwok Chun-shing, Director of the Chun Shing Commercial Academy, to the girl who obtained the highest number of dance-tickets.

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The Halifax Building Society has sent a cheque for £1,000,000 to the Inland Revenue on account of income tax liability.

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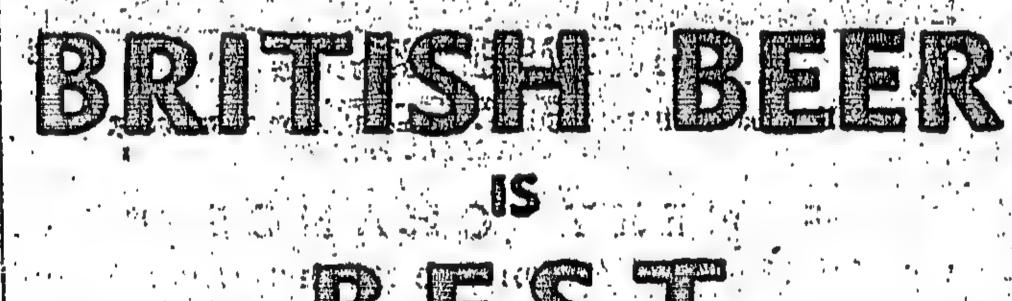
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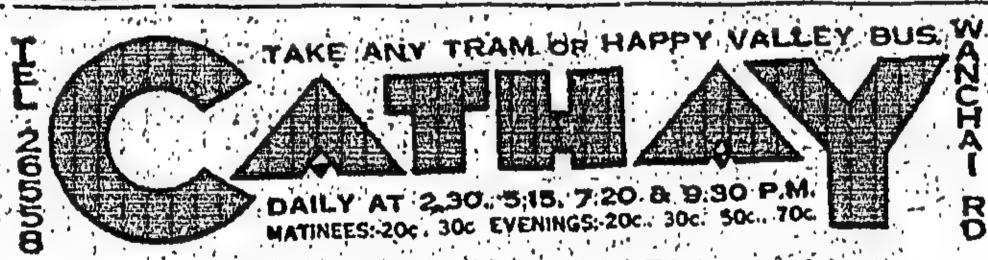


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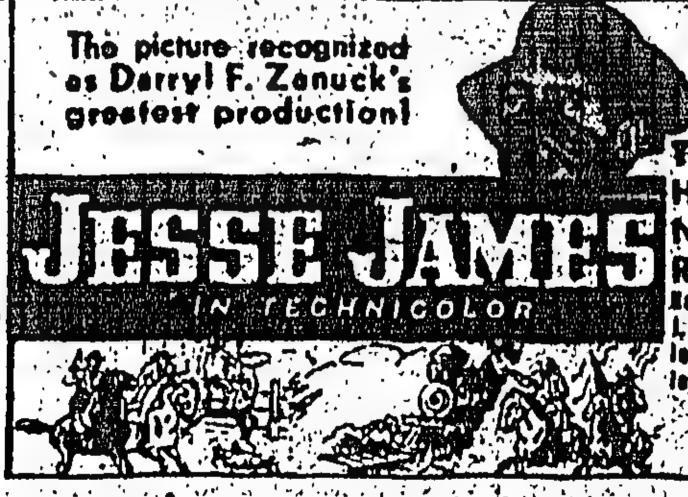
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AN ARMISTICE DAY SPEECH AT THE TOMB OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER IN ARLINGTON CEMETERY IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY.

He expressed faith that democracy, in spite of all, would survive.

"I, for one, do not believe that the world will revert to a modern form of ancient slavery, or to controls vested in modern feudalism or modern empires for modern dictators or modern oligarchies in these days.

"People under their iron heels will themselves rebels," said President Roosevelt.

In what was his first public speech since his re-election, President Roosevelt denounced "un-" patriotic efforts" which he said had been made : by some Americans since the Great War "to make us believe that the sacrifices made by our nation were made wholly in vain."

√In 1914, a⊹definite√effort was made in part of the world to destroy ... democracy. That ..effort was designed to substitute the doctrine that might makes right.

## Democracy Preserved

"The attempt failed 22 years ago to-day. A hundred years from now, historians will say rightly that the Great War prescrued the new order; of the ages for at least a whole generation.

They would say that if the Axis of 1918 had been successful in a military victory over the assoclated nations, resistance on behalf of democracy in 1940 would have been wholly impossible," said the President.

-America was, therefore, proud of its share in maintaining the era of democracy in that war, in which they took part.

# Needs Of To-day

.To-day "we recognise certain l facts of 1940 which did not exist in 1918, the need for the elimination of aggressive armaments, the need for the breaking down of barriers in a more closely knit world, the need for restoring honour in the written and spoken: word.

"We recognise that the processes of the democracles must be greatly improved in order that we may attain those purposes."-Reu-

# R.A.F.S NEXT PROBLEM

Big black four-engined planes have been seen; among the large formations of ! German , aircraft. during recent raids in the South.

Those who have seen the planes say they look like the troop-car-. riers which Germany used during operations in Norway and Denmark, but air experts point out it is extremely difficult for the layman to recognise types of new machines, and nothing definite can be known until one of them has been brought down for the photograph taken from the air.

It may be that they are large bombers developed on the lines. of the four-engined bombers which Germany was known to possess before the war, but which were regarded as a failure.

It is possible that the Germans, after further experiments, have evolved a four-engined bomber which they are giving and try

Or perhaps, the machines are the orthodox. German, troopcarriers and are making, reconna'ssances heavily protected by fighters.

BUT WHATEVER THEY ARE, THE R.A.F. IS READY FOR THEM.

# WAS 79

For sixty-six years Mrs. Nightingale, of Bull Lane, Winchcom- encouraged to get as much sleep be, Gloucestershire, has worked las possible. as a glazier at the Postlip Paper Mills, Winchcombe. Now aged seventy-nine, she has retired.

Each day she walked one and three-quarter miles from her cottage to work, and walked back again in the evening. She started at eight and finished at five-each

Her husband, who is still living, has already retired from work. "She is the oldest servant in our firm," the secretary of the paper mills stated.

off, and would not have left us when a bomb damaged much of now, but she was getting a little their house in a Midland town afraid of air raids. We gave her during the night. a pension.

very active, and her sight and cup of coffee? ... I think the gas hearing are good.

# WEAPON

"If" you usually sleep soundly. for eight-hours a night you will not expect to feel fit and lively if your rest ration is suddenly cut to four hours; but you can, if you take it gradually, soon learn to do with far less sleep.

Remember these simple rules and Hitler's Planes will soon cease to worry you. Allow yourself to doze in the train or bus on your way to and from work. Allow yourself to relax completely after your midday meal; even if you are still sitting in your chair.

"If you are at hom; go into a quiet, darkened room and doze, aon't worry if you seem to be so overtired that you cannot sleep. If you sit or lie quietly you will be resting yourself just the same.

"There is no need suddenly to start leading a hermit-like life. An occasional visit to a cinema or theatre, or even that trip to the "local," is valuable relaxation.

","Children must, of course, be

"When you take them to a shelter insist that they lie down and remain quiet. Babies are not a problem because they will sleep anyway, \* but put cotton wool pads in the ears of the older children and give them sweets to

# HOSPITALITY

Three elderly women-two aged "She has had very - little time the stairs and were unharmed

When a special constable told them that it was safe for them to All the years she was here she come out, one, aged seventy-ning, sat in the same seat. She is still asked calmly, "Will you have a stove is still here.



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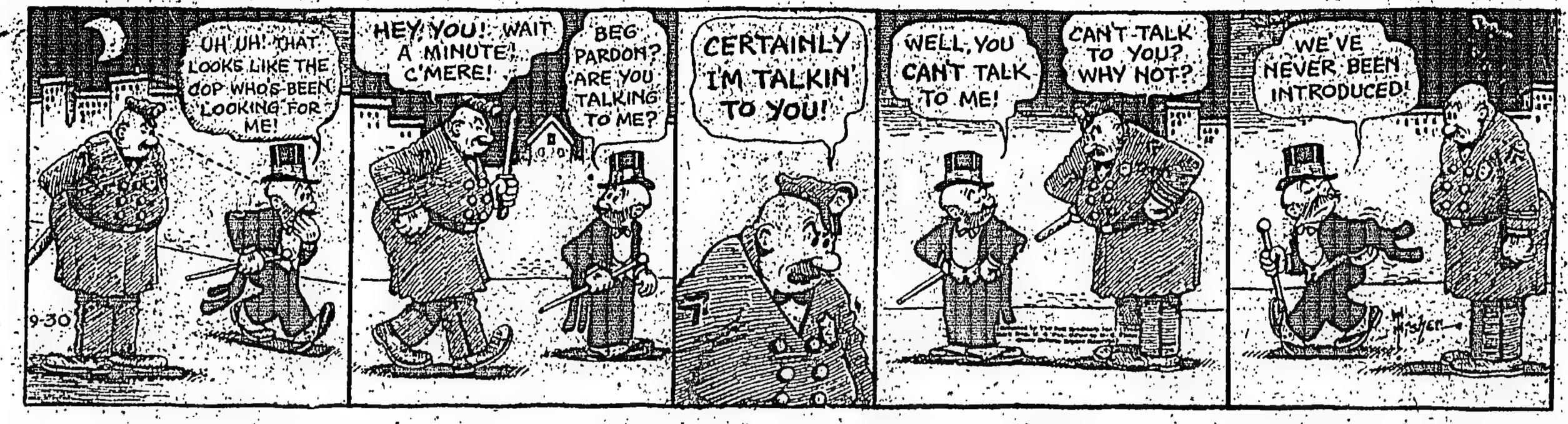
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(replacing Transmission 1)

Central Transmission Part 1 (Eastern) ...... 10,04-16 45 GMT creplacing Transmissions 2 and 3) Central. Transmission, Part 2 .. (African) ........ 16.55-22 25 GMT

(replacing Transmission 4) North American Trans-

.(replacing Transmissions 5 and 6) As a result of this development; a number of changes have been made in the timing of news bulletins and other fixed-point broadcasts, as well as in the frequency schedules for all Transmissions,

## Pacific Transmission

Australia, New Zealand, Oceania, Africa, Western Canada, the Near East, and Central and South America are the areas served by this Transmission, which is fifty minutes longer than the old Transmission 1. News in English dard programme talks intended for Australian or GMT, in Afrikaans at 18.30, in

September 29 and October 6, the at either 07:30 or 08.15 GMT each German at 21.15. Simultaneously

## Central Transmission Part I (Eastern)

This transmission serves listen- cast. ers in India, Burma, Malaya, the Far East generally, Africa, Can-Pacific Transmission '06.10-10.15 GMT ada, and North, Central, and South America. It should also be well heard in Australia.

\* The timings of the "news , in English are 11.00, 13.00, and 16.00 GMT. Bulletins in French (11.15) Dutch (12.00 and 13.45), Portuguese (12.15), German (12.30), Forces in the Near East are standand Spanish (12.45) are broadcast on selected frequencies simultaneously with the English programme. A special programme in Hindustani is broadcast each day between 14.00 and 14.30 GMT on newsletter in Burmese at 13.30 on every evening:--16.86 m, and 13.93 m.

# Central Transmission Part 2 (African)

Serving Africa, Canada, and cordings of current events, at is broadcast at 06.15, 08.30, and North and South America, this 03.30. 09.45 GMT, and among the stan- Transmission includes news bulfeatures the letins in English at 18.00 and 20.45

During the weeks beginning New Zealand listeners, broadcast French at 19.15 and 21.45, and in with the English programme, bulletin in Portuguese is radiated on selected wavelengths at 21.00. From 19.30 to 20.00, on 19.66 m., a programme for French-speaking listeners, 'Ici Ia France,' is broad-

> A newsletter in Maltese (Saturdays, 17.00), news from New Zealand (alternate Mondays, 19.00), a request programme by Sandy Macpherson, BBC theatre organist (alternate Thursdays, 17.30) and a reproduction of a programme from New Zealand (every third Saturday, 17.40) both for the ard features.

## North American Transmission

19.82 m. and 16.86 m., and news Primarily serving listeners in in Afrikaans between 16.30 and Canada and the U.S.A., the North 16.45 on 16.84 m. and 13.97 m. On American Transmission now inalternate Mondays, there is a cludes the following features

> News in English: 22.45, 01.00, 01.45 (preceding an authoritative news commentary), and 04.30 GMT.

News in French: 00.45 'Radio News-reel': actuality re-

British artists, at 01.15. 'To-night we Present':

grammes in which celebrities of the music-hall, stage, and concert hall are featured, at 02.45. A programme of listeners' re-

quests at 03.15. 'The Music of Britain' at 04.00

(except Saturdays).

The principal talks are given at 01.30 ('Britain Speaks') and at 03.00 ("Within the Fortress"),....

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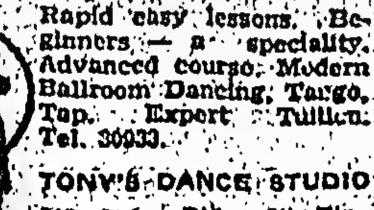
It is, now, revealed that a highexplosive bomb fell on the forecourt of the Houses of Parliament between the public entrance and the peers' entrance in a recent air raid.

It blew in hundreds of leaded windows and smashed a 30ft; window at one end of Westminster Hall, and also part of the massive. stone framing.

Stained-glass windows on one side of the House of Lords debating: chamber were blown out and doors were torn from their hinges. Glass and metal rained down on the golden thrones used by their Majesties for the openingof Parliament, but the thrones were not scratched, although the surrounding. .carpets : and .walls

were damaged. More glass was broken in the lobbies and cloak-rooms of the House of Commons, Flying splinters: caused :three "wounds" the western face of Big Ben, but "Big Ben Time" still shows on all four sides.

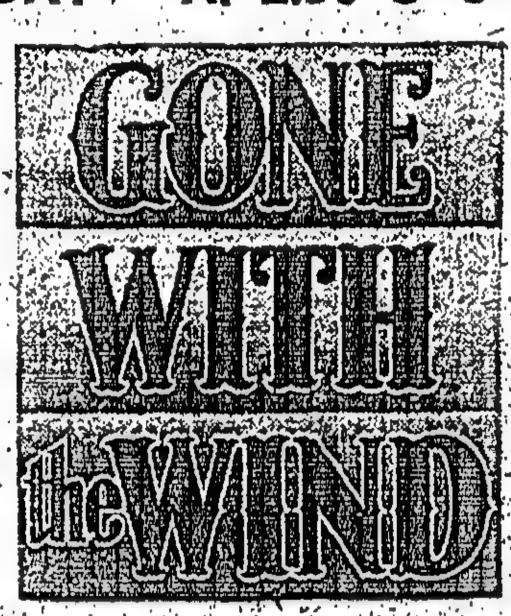
Lord Lawrence, and several officials suffered minor cuts.



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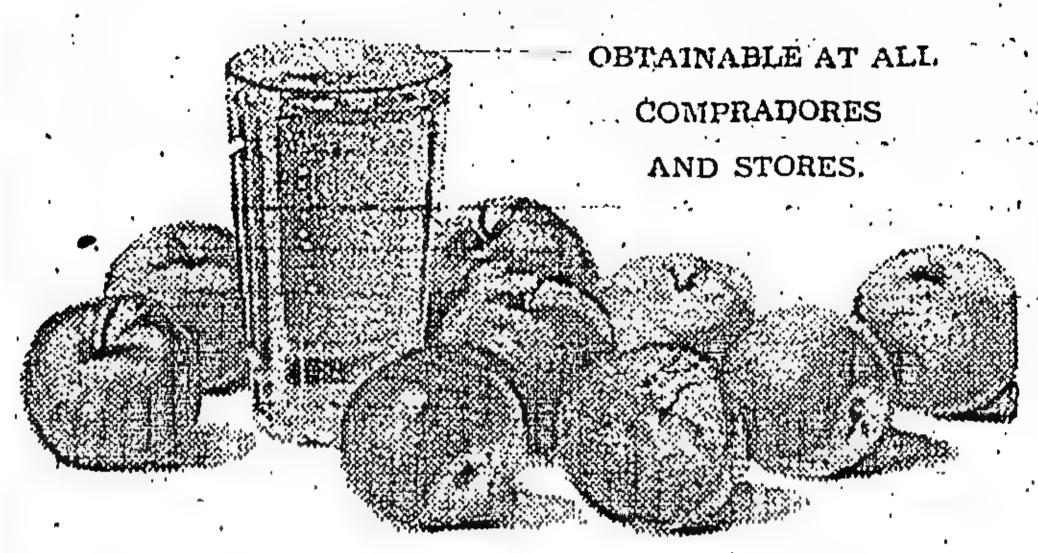
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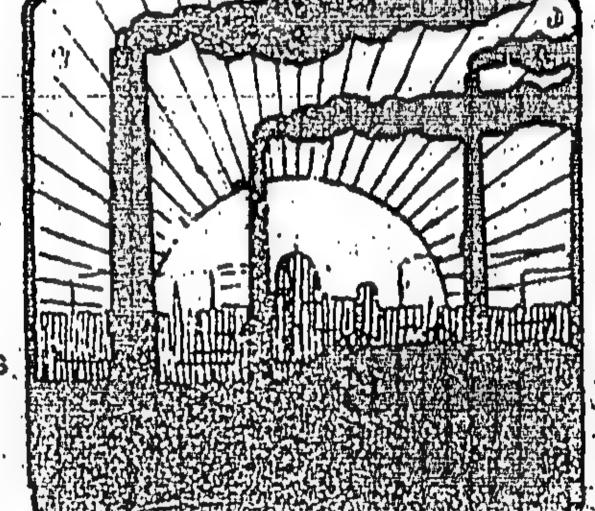
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FOUR CLEARLY defined stages are distinguishable in the progress of the air war during the first year. First there was the period of partial activity which followed the declaration of war in September, second the Norwegian campaign, third the battle of France culminating in the Dunkirk evacuation, and fourth the battle of Britain,

The partial activity of the early months was concerned almost entirely with attacks by the enemy on our shipping and with leaflet dropping and reconnaissance flights by ourselves. There was, at the outset, the raid on German warships at Brunsbuttel, but apart from that there was no large-scale bombing.

It was not until after the raids, but no sustained and heavy chant seaman. Russo-Finnish campaign ended with the signing of peace treaty on March 13 air power began to show its and in the numbers of aircraft. you?" capabilities in the western thea- used.

## Norway

atic enough. The campaign in biggest and most notable aerial Norway began on April 9. battle in history. They, and will you do so?"-"Yes, sir." Throughout, from the landing the ground defences, brought of parachute troops by the Ger- down 180 enemy aircraft with a mans and the reinforcement of loss to themselves of 34 aircraft, units that had landed at Nor- 17 of whose pilots were saved.

Wegian ports by means of air No more decisive defeat had transport, the dominating influence of air power was made manifest.

Britain suffered the disadvantage of having no air bases in Norway. When our troops found it impossible to move without being heavily bombarded from the air, a late attempt was made to secure an air base for short range, fighters,

in an aircraft carrier, and it ing aeroplanes of the Royal Air sought to establish itself on a Force had regularly attacked itempt failed.

before that—but their value had convoys. were used-in---the--- Netherlands. | showed---a---progressive --change | babies. They were dropped on acro- from air work mainly concerndromes at the moment when ed with cooperation with the one side and the parachute troops on the other, the Dutch troops being in between.

# **Battle Of France**

In the battle of France the German dive bombers were prominent. The Junkers 87 type wasthrown into the battle in vast! quantities, usually with the obfect of preparing the way. for tank advances. The Royal Air Force was called upon to counter the dive bombers, and to attack enemy communications,

It did these duties with great herolem and with a good deal of success. But its size was not great enough, even 'with the help of the Armee de PAir, to check the German advance. So far both the German and the British air forces had been mainly tied to the armies in the field.

occurred after the Belgian capit mally. The exceptions are Oc- Lapparently undamaged. tulation on May 28. After this cupied France and Flanders, the British Expeditionary Force, where three-quarters of the Emwith some French troops, were pire's dead are commemorated. hemmed in in Northern France. There work has stopped. and during their evacuation the Royal Air Force' succeeded in protecting them from overwhelming air attack. The last troops were evacuated from Dunkirk on the night of June 3-4, and at the same date Paris was heavily bombed for the first time.

mans were preparing their ad- cross of sacrifice; chipped and lieve that no damage in France vance on the city. And on June gashed, but still standing firm, or Belgium is beyond repair. That 14 Paris fell, and with it some corrying its scars of war. of the important French acroengine factories. After that events but neglected; overgrown with ondowment fund ensuring there moved rapidly to the capitule- weeds, the lawns unkept, flower manont maintenance of our cencetion of France. The Royal Air beds tangled and disordered. In teries and the memorials of the Force during this time strove some, wooden crosses mark the last war was completed just as incessantly to hamper the German advance.

# . Wass Raids

on Great Britain began. There buried, had been many previous minor Of the great "missing", me- Wireless. been many previous

had bombardment from the air. After the August 8 the German air at-

On Thursday, August 15, some 1,000 aircraft were hurled against I wish to be discharged." Britain. Royal Air Force fighters on this occasion obtained their The first instance was dram- greatest success and fought the

> ever been inflicted on the German or any other air force. The immediate result was a cessation of mass attacks and ceeded by a resumption of the mass attacks and again the Royal Air, Force won many victories. The end of August and more to hight attacks.

Meanwhile from the time when A squadron of Gloster Gladia- the invasion of the Low Countor biplane fighters was sent out tries had taken place the bombfrozen lake. In spite of heroic military targe's in Germany. Alattempts by the pilots, the at- most every night these targets! were bombed. The Coastal Com-The invasion of the Low mand also took party in many Countries began on May 10. bombing operations, and it con-The Germans had used parachute centrated a great part of its attroops in Norway-and the Rus- tention on attacking enemy sub-

Britain in August.

# FRANCOL GUNNER CHANGED

CHARGED WITH ABSENTING HIMSELF FROM DUTY FOR SE-VERAL DAYS; 32-YEAR-OLD ERNEST BASIL SCHOFIELD, DESCRIBED AS A SEAMAN-GUNNER OF THE R.F.A. "FRANCOL" WAS ORDERED TO RETURN TO HIS SHIP BY COM-MANDER J. JOLLY, DEPUTY HARBOUR MASTER, IN THE MARINE COURT THIS MORN-ING.

Schofield was alleged to have absented himself since October 30. He pleaded guilty.

"The master of the "Francol" Captain C. J. Leach, stated thatdecendant was appointed by the naval authorities for gunnery, duty on board the vessel. The authorities were consulted and his instructions were that defendant was to be charged in a civil court and treated as an ordinary mer-

Commander J. Jolly: "You don't that tacks increased daily in violence refuse to return to your ship, do

Defendant: "As a matter of fact,

Commander Jolly, "I'm afraid I can't do that. If I make an ordar for you to return to the ship

"Gentlemen first" is the motto saw the Germans turning more of Stoke Newington, authorities, who are considering equipping air raid shelters with sleeping accommodation.

> An official explained: "The men have to work during the day, when most women canmake up for their lost sleep during the night." Bunks for babies are also to be provided.

The official continued: \* The sians had used them in Finland marines and on escorting British prolonged night raids has made in necessary for us to provide not been demonstrated until they | The first year of the air war some accommodation, for the

"Mothers cannot nurse them in ground troops were advancing Army, such as that in Norway their arms all night, so we have upon them, with the result that and the Low Countries, to in- devised a sort of nest where the a "sandwich" was formed be- dependent air work such as be- habies will sleep in tiers and they tween the advancing troops on gan with the big air raids on will not take sup, much floor

# QUESTION ON BRITISH WAR GRAVES ANSWERED

WHAT IS THE STATE of the cemeteries and memorials to the Empire's million 1914-1918 dead?

This question was answered, in part, by Sir Fabian Ware, Chairman of the Imperial War Graves Commission in a broadcast yesterday.

The beginning of an alteration "our work is proceeding nor-

Some—a few—momorials may have been obliterated. If 'so, we have accurate surveys which | will enable them, to be reconstructed in detail.

"Others we know have been damaged, the headstones batter-It was a signal that the Ger- ed by machine-gun fire, the great

graves of the New B.E.F. — in the British Expeditionary. Force others, in the foremost rows, was retiring from France in this stand stout wooden crosses sur- war.
mounted by German helmets It was then that this provision On August 8, the heavy raids where our enemies have been was finally made for entrying on

"In all parts, of the world morials we are told Menin Gate save two," said Sir Fabian Ware, is battered but standing. The Canadian Memorial at Vimy, is

# Not Beyond Repair

La Feries, memorial, commemorating the Mons Retreat and return, of 1914, is untouched.

The Australian, Memorial at Willers-Bretonneux is damaged: but still firmly erect, with shall holes piercing the panels which bear names of 11,000 Australian missing.

In short, there is reason to berepair will be carried out, be-"Most of them are undamaged; knuse; by the trony of fate; this

bur work permanently. — British.

It has become a commonplace to say that a world revolution is in progress. But those who will a virtual military alliance with look beneath surface appearances may glimpse on dor a long time especially something bigger than when neither side wishes to wars and the overturning position as regards Japan, Events in Germany, Great chergy absorbed by the air strug-Britain, occupied France, gle over its own territory and the United States and offensives in the Mediterranean other countries are daily interpreted by the literal- East. The United States, indigminded as milestones in nant, as it is over Japan's conthe progress or retarda-tion of Fascism, totalitar- By William Henry ianism, liberalism, New Dealism and other types in the "Christian Science Monitor" of national or international movements de- not wish to send the American signed to restrict or liberate men. But the victories of armies, the acts of legislatures and the into war, even though recent deeds of dictators, princes and presidents are, viewed in true perspective, is now really beginning to feel simply the bubbles boiling that has been going on for more at the top of the cauldron.

so, to grasp the real signi- a month. There is a shortage ficance of what is going are urged to be economical with on in the world to day, is rice, the staple food of the country. The substitute fiber which vitally necessary both for is used in the manufacture of lay observers and for those clothing wears out quickly and charged with the guidance has felt obliged to institute an of men and nations.

For the true world re- surreptitious volution is that going on in the human consciousness. Deep down in the hearts and thoughts of men the revolt against "limitation in every aspect is far from being in the state and against materialism persists. Never before war. have the agencies both to encourage and to suppress it been so active. Like a river running to its destined sea, rising from an endlessly flowing spring, the aspiration of mankind toward higher standards of conduct and achievement wells forth continuously despite all efforts of the obstruction-

Its collective expression, channeled into the narrow bed of nationalism. seeks continuously to confinement within out- the charge of the terms of the terms of the pro- those who gave them their sin- to whom mercy, compassion, jusbreak the barriers of its shrewd diplomatic bargainers and drawn from the collapse of an worn, concepts of creed quo for their help to the Axis. blem. These can now best be structions, were in the wrong can only be established over the and class. In some countries leaders of popular thought, hoping to capitalise on this instinct for enlightenment and enrichment of thought among the masses of men. have attempted to prevent policy. America has been Japan's -it is urgent and real. It involves its expression to selfish manifestations. In their raw materials. blindness and hardness of heart they do not see, as pointed out, that there is a spiritual tide running pact, should go the whole limit the more the enemy stands to ters something of the direction or raids to be spread abroad; more through the affairs of men, which will not be downed.

that the idea of the feat.

# Japan's Hour Of Decision The hour or final decision in

Japan's relations with America and Great Britain has been prought much closer by the rapid sequence of recent events: the Japanese invasion of Indo-China, the American enibargo on exports of scrap iron and scrap steel, the Japanese entrance into

Germany and Italy. Yet Oriental erises can drag fight. And this is certainly the political systems. United States and Great Britain tite actual and threatened Axis area, certainly has no desire to force a showdown in the Far

# Chamberlin

sistent record of aggression, does Navy to fight a war in distant

And there are several considerations that may restrain Japan from taking the final plunge developments have certainly brought the threat of conflict closer. In the first place, Japan the strain of the war in China than three years with little prospect of an early decision.

Sugar has been put on a niga-Torrecognise that this is ger ration of less than a pound of dairy products and people fails to wash. The Government claborate system of price-fixing, with the usual result: vanishing of goods from the market and

> All this does not mean that Japan is on the verge of revolution or collapse. It does indicate, however, that the Island Empire has used up a considerable part of its reserve resources and of freshress in which a government is willing to risk a major

Another possible restraining factor is the Soviet Union. Could Japan throw all its forces into a programme of unlimited southward expansion without being guaranteed as to its northern front in Manchukuo and Korea against a Soviet attack?

The terms of the German-Japanese-Italian pact have aroused comment and speculation because Japan seems to have given much more than it has received. Germany and Italy could not help Japan in a naval war with England and America. On other hand Japan's misance By John Allan May value to Germany and Italy very considerable. With the third largest navy in the world, in the Pacific. American conflict, even can send to Great Britain.

However, the Japanese yield to Japan's demands in re- kept guessing." gard to Indo-China. Another part. An understanding of the actualmay well be a German promise ity and significance of this pro-

diminishes if and as America im- aid to German hairds in their have been foolish. Indeed, since made what might be termed a Woodrow Wilson o'n ce poses new cancilons and restraints work of destruction. on Japhnese trade. If America, And it must be remembered less statements might, it released Concessions were made, enunder the influence of the new that the more accurate the news too quickly, tell enemy headquar- abling news of aerial battles and of stopping all import and ex-licarn. port trade with Japan, the hour

> brotherhood of man which is at the bottom of

the Dutch East Indies.

by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, state socialism:

decision in the Pacific area published a project for an alliwould have struck. Japan would ance of Japan, Great Britain, then only have the alternatives and the United States. The alliof submission or of an offensive ance was to be based on equality against the regions of southeas- of economic opportunity for all tern Asia, such as Malaya and participants, respect for the territorial integrity of colonies and Even now many Japanese in protectorates and recognition of business and diplomatic circles Japan's predominant position in hope that these desperate reme- China, Its publication reflects dies may be avoided. On the the survival of hope in some very eve of the signature of Japanese quarters that a new the pact with the Axis Powers, lagreed seftlement, may spare the "Japan Times." Japanese-own- Japan the inculculable wisks of ed rewenaner, which is subsidised war and the rigors of a military

# Expecting Appeasement



# Sense & Censorship

apparently irreconcilable outlooks plification apparatus of the Geris constantly up for consideration man propaganda ministry gave. There are certain industries. between the world's press and the world a running commentary cliemical, electrical, and steel, at the military authorities. It is a upon the battle and; unchecked, which Germans are especially apt. problem which is being solved by any counterblast of truth, Other countries will manufacture only by a slow process involving blared forth "news" of the de- such goods and grow such promany mutual readjustments of struction of great portions of the ducts as Germans need and no

the outset of hostilities.

it then a growing realisation on the could keep the American Navy part of all here that, although se-A Japanese crecy is still essential regarding the actual military operations, freethreat of a conflict, reduces the dom of the press to print the news amount of help which 'America is also essential to the success of Britain's cause—a trend are thought strengthened by lessons that they obtained a quid pro a revision of the terms of the pro- structions were in the tice and truth are abhorrent. It Part of this quid pro quo was stated thus: "The public must be German pressure on France to told the facts; the enemy must be

of pressure on Moscow. blem is a necessary basis for as-Japanese economic dependence sessing the news that comes from on America which has increased; Britain in these days and the news since the beginning of the Euro- that does not come from Britain. pean war is another factor for This is no box-office war. For the Britain, everybody and every lorelative moderation in Japanese people of Britain-and in Britain best customer (apart from Man- their homes, their families, their chukuo) and its chief source of lives. It is understandable that there should be a determination quently to the enemy—telling or, not to let listening German ears hinting at the progress of any at it turned out, and in the sharp Of course this dependence hear one word that might give tack while it was happening would verbal clash that followed, they

which arose at the climax of the might netually be extremely dan- but the power the press and pubfirst great hir buttle that raged gerous. Since there was no tell- lie also have over the censors, Of this we may be sure, it all, will not suffer de- for a week over Southern Britain. ing how long the succession of of proper preservation of a balance will be suffer all, will not suffer de- for a week over Southern Britain. Ing how long the succession of of proper preservation of a balance making Corman air force struck sudden- attack) might last or what the truth stronger than fletion.

The problem of reconciling two ly at London. The sound-amof these things, not because no until nine hours, had elapsed, ....

But the censors had a caseconsideration. This was it:

With the main battle raging over cality here must be considered as in "the front-line trenches." To allow messages from the line to be flashed abroad—and conseeven simple and apparently harm- strategic withdrawal. of various spens-heads of the The significant factor which A case illustrating the clash of attack while there was still time cmerges is not just the power the two opposing outlooks is that for reinforcements to be sent, it that the censors have on the press

If a new order under the leadership of 'Germany is to be established in Europe it is well for us to consider what shape it is to take, at least in its outline. For such an enquiry there is ample material in the writings and speeches of Hitler, in the practice of the German Armies and German governors and in the changes in such countries as Switzerland, which have been forced to adapt themselves to German orders.

'The nature of the political and social structure is unmistakeable. At its head will be a German oligarchy, an elite with despotic rowers. Like all oligarchies, it will be unstable and uncertain. It will therefore be protected by a secret police and will depend on a crowd of informers.

Below the oligarchy will be the German people, the chosen race to which all other peoples, including the Italians, will be sub-

These people will have special privileges, political, social and economic, but they will have no voice in the government of their country.

Below the chosen people will be the helots, the British, the French and the Italians, whose existence will be tolerated only so far as they serve the interests of Germany. Beyond these there will be the Colonials, among whom are to be included Negroes, Jews and Russians. These people will correspond to the untouchables and will have no rights in this world or the next, which will of course be controlled by Ger-

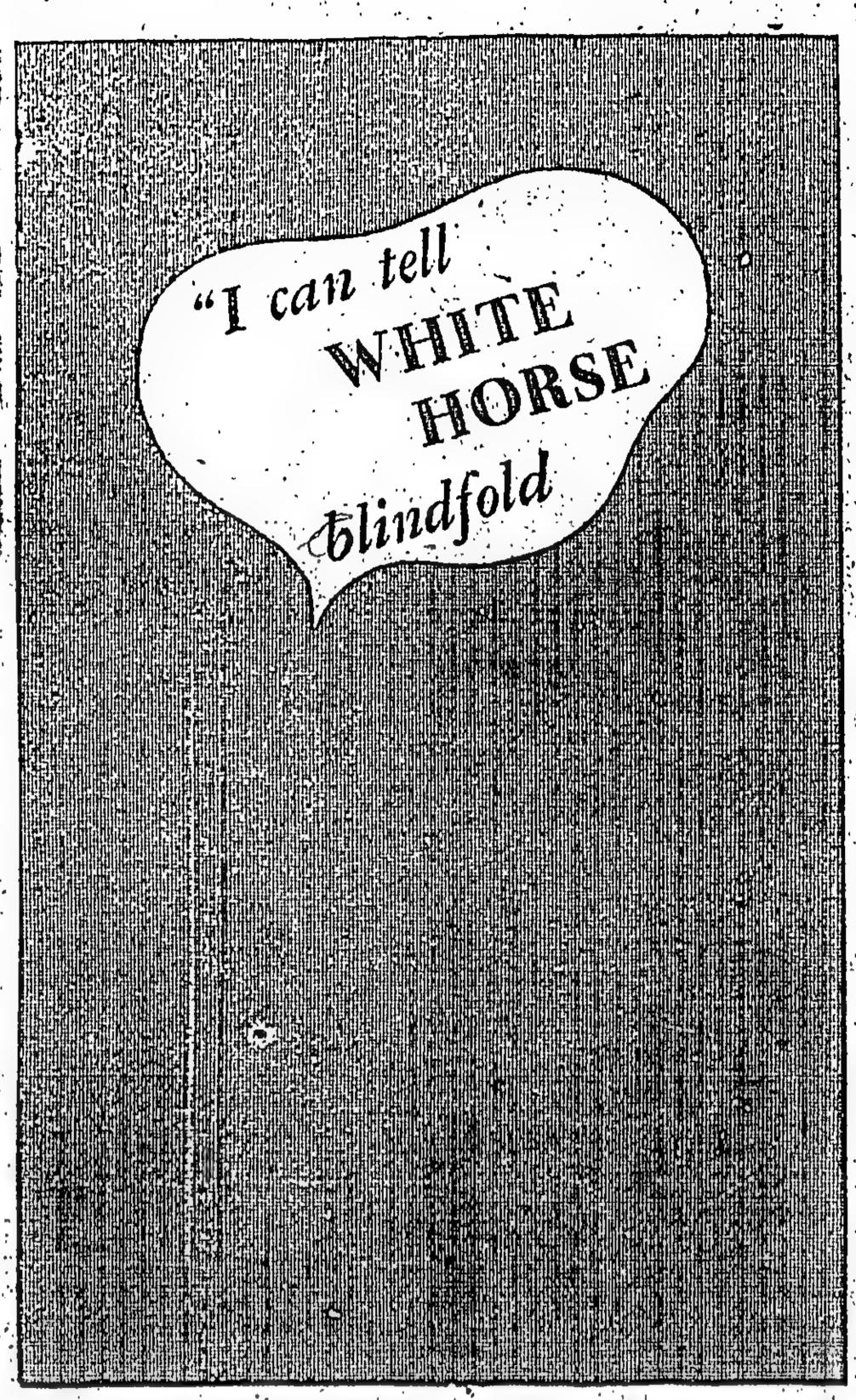
The political structure then will have four layers, the social structure will have three. The German will walk on the paysnient, the Englishman, the Frenchman, the Italian will walk in the gutter. The Colonial, the Negro, the Russian and other races, that according to German reckoning, make up the seum of the earth. will be allowed to crawl on their

The nature of the economic structure appears from the dealings of Germany with Russia, with Rumania, with France, with the conquered countries such as Holland and Belgium and with countries - such - as - Switzerland which have thought themselves too weak to resist German or-

city and the total defeat of Lon-, others. From - the specifically The essence of successful war- don's derial defenders. For the German industries they will be fare is secrecy; the essence of whole of that day no word came debarred. Berlin will be the successful journalism is public- out of London to tell; the real clearing house of the rest of the ity." Thus badly did the British facts, to relate the epic story of world, and the value of the Ger-War Office state the problem at an R.A.F. victory almost without man mark in relation to the cur-Since parallel, to speak of the calm rency of other countries will be bravery, of suburban dwellers varied so that German merchants who suffered severely when the will make a profit in all their "greatest raid of all time" turned dealings. Workmen will have into a sporadic and militarily in- food and clothing, but they will significant attack upon a handful have no independence and no of residential areas. There was rights. They will be protected no word out of London to speak and mourished, not as individuals but because their work is necesword was written, but because sary to the policy of the State. the censors held up every mes- Any order might be tolerable if sage and did not allow any to go lits administrators had a regard for their fellow-men. But this Afterwards, there was general order will be administered by men been missed by an unbalancing it can last so long as the human of the carefully-weighted secrecy-race has lost all the gains of the illast itwo thousand years and only so long as it remains without its and a strong case—which is worth strength, its virtue, and its selfrespect.

> strategy was, the authorities simply stopped all messages until all the day's battles were over and their efforts carefully considered.

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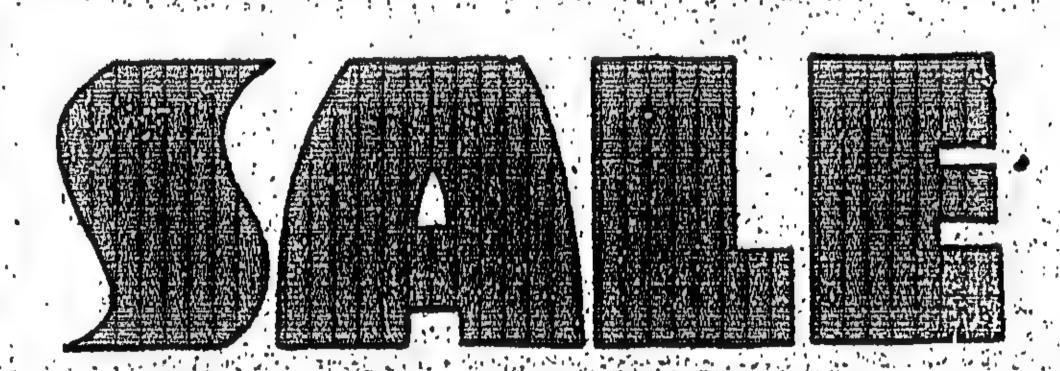
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# STABILITY M FAR EAST

The Australian Minister to the United States, Mr. Casey, in an interview broadcast by Station WMCA, said that Australia and the United States had a mutual desire for without the means of fighting . The North is pretty adament on stable conditions in the Far East.

Such stability, he said, would enable the building up of closer economic relations with China, Japan, the Dutch East Indies, and other parts of south-east Asia. Australia was determined to defend herself against attack, he

added.

The interviewer, asked whether Australia would welcome American assistance in the event of war spreading to the Pacific and involving Australia, to which Mr. Casey replied: "You will agree that the United States, Australia and New Zealand are all concerned about their own security. and that none of them is territorially, ambitious, Therefore, anything by way of cooperation that we are able to contribute to this security we will gladly do. It would not be one-way traffic. Australia does not feel defence.

## East Indies Value To U.S.

~ Mr. Casey said : that the East ed States. He quoted the warning States. State, Mr. Cordell Hull, a month ugo, to : Japan, anoth to rafter the status quo of French Indo-China or the East Indies, which Australia and Britain welcomed and endorsed.

He recalled that the late Prime in 1937, proposed a regional understanding and non-aggression

pact between Pacific countries. The interviewer asked whether the prospect of closer association with the United States alarmed Australians, Mr., Casey, replied: "Australians do not think of the United States as a foreign country to be watched suspiciously, We differentiate between Americans, and . foreigners. All sections of political opinion are united in a desire for very, close relations with the United States."

# "THAT WAS SAYS AWERICAN

THIS IS THE FIRST of a series of cables by Miss Helen Kirkpatrick, of the London staff of the Chicago "Daily News," to her paper describing the effects of the German bombing blitzkrieg on the industrial and shipping centres of England.

Industrial England, which took the brunt of the Nazi bombing attacks many weeks before the blitzkrieg on London began, is virtually untouched.

# INVASION THREAT MAY BE REVERSED

. The following account of how Britain is standing the German: air attack, visiting damaged areas. Full and written by William Mc-Gaffin, of the "Associated place I visited, and, while it is-Press" staff in London, was published in Amer- have not so far impaired the Briican newspapers recently:-- .

.Whatever "surprises" the Axis dictators may have prepared for Britain at their meeting on the Brenner Pass, military circles in London are looking to a rapidlyapproaching winter with what they cautiously term "reasonable confidence," and a feeling that the worst of the air onslaught is over.

By the spring they expect to see Britain so much stronger make one.

knock out London, was unleashed against the city exactly in September.

# Battered But Unbowed:

The citizen, his wife and children, have found themselves suddenly pitched into the front line angrier they get. hack. Nazi raiders have destroy- the subject of the war. If I ed the citizen's home. They have heard it once I heard it ten times bombed hospitals and schools, set in different forms: "We finished fire to churches, and machine- the last war too soon. The misgunned streets.

blocks of East-end tenements, not stopping until we have beaten smashed up Central London office the Germans and know they buildings.

Yet London still stands, battered but unbowed—"business as usual."

month of Blitzkrieg, such as no there a war on, but that big cities people in the world has ever be- of this country are being pounded fore had to endure did not impair nightly with high explosives and Britain's war effort by more than incendiary bombs.

a small percentage. Authoritative circles frankly most peaceful aspect imaginable, admit that a month's "Blitz" has and only the presence of soldiers confronted. Britain with some along toads which are punctuated. staggering problems, but those with tank traps recalls that a same circles believe; that British battlevis going on Again, going morale is fough enough to bear into big industrial cities it is any threats.

# "May Sue For Peace"

R.A.F. whose brilliant day-time the residential area, and most of victories are already axiomatic, that do workers, houses on the growing ever stronger from inces- fringo of factories. sant acceleration of aircraft pro- Tiffic organisation of civillan Indies were valuable to the Unit- duction here and in the United defences and first aid services

given by the U.S. Secretary of ... They are counting on the wea- world loss that could be made is ther, which will soon be bad. that the construction of shelters enough to cause the German machines to ice over if they try to go above the range of the balloon tories, in some cases serious, but burrage and A.A. guns.

They are optimistic over the ed or badly hit is so small as to prospect of finding an answer to make no appreciable difference to Minister of Australia, Mr. Lyons, night bombing before the winter national production. This is

> It is admitted that what might ition. happen in the Mediterranean this winter could have a serious bearing on the battle of Britain. It is felt, however, that Mussolini's delay in pushing the in- i Vasion of Egypt is a tacit admission of the tremendous obstacles which the Italian commanders, find themselves facing,

There, exists the opinion that if his Invesion fails the Duce might sue for a separate peace with Briilitain by the spring,

. Its factories, the majority of which are converted to wartime production, are turning out essen-~ tial supplies at a rate which cartainly makes a quick Nazi victory impossible and any kind of German victory pretty uncertain.

One of Britain's biggest ports is crammed with tonnage from all over the world and ships unload thousands of tons of food and war materials daily, despite persistent German attempts to disrupt this vital work.

I spent six days touring the most important industrial centres, inspecting war factories and confidential reports of all damage done were available in every impossible to make these public, it can, be stated that air raids tish war effort to any marked extent.

# Effect On Production

While nightly alarms and sporadic day raids have affected production, it has fallen off only by a slight amount, and there is confidence throughout the industrial area that this is only temporary. Once roof spotting systems are fully working production is expected to be maintained.

While the morale of Londoners. that the invasion threat will has been the object of great adhave been completely, reversed, miration, that of industrial Engleaving the Nazis much more land is fully equal, and in many concerned-over how to repel an cases far surpasses London's. And invasion rather than how to unquestionably a good deal of the Midlands and the North of Eng-The air attack; supposed to land is far tougher; than anything that can be found in London.

# "Tougher - - - Angrier"

The effect of the raids so far has been to infuriate the popu-Jation as a whole and workersin particular. - And "the farther, north, you go the tougher and

take we made was in not march-They have flattened whole ing to Berlin. This time we are know it."

# Peaceful Countryside

Driving hundreds of miles \* Neutral ... correspondents ... and northward from ... London it .. was military experts agree, that a difficult to realise that not only is

The countryside presents the difficult to find any trace of damage; mid it is necessary to know where to look for it.

As in the case of London most The British are counting on the of the damage had been done in

wis much too far, behind.

.. There has been damage to facthe number of factories demolishmainly due to vast decentralisa-

Vital war supplies such as machine tools, aeroplanes, guns and ammunițion are being pro 🔩 duced in so many different face. torics, each with many subair. diary plants to call on, that the destruction of any one of thom

-cannot-cripple.production. 🖓 . Many areas of industrial Englands are more prosperous thanthey have been for years and unemployment: has shrunk to the lowest ligure for 23 years.

# ROWS TO

Every British mother will want to read this story. Every British child will want to read it too.

It is a story of the midsummer madness of 1940, when Adolf Hitler, World Beast No. 1, proceeded to mutilate the bodies of women and children by machine-gulining and bombing them, as they fled before his dull, savage hordes.

parachute troops were falling from her and went down with her.

## "We Must Flee"

Thirteen-year-old . Josephine her father,

"Come, darling," he said, "the"

of this child.

taking his hand in hers, she went with him to the local beach, and that come along. it was here that she joined a party of ten other people, who had a large row-boat in readiness to leave their beloved country.

"There's a British destroyer around the coast." somebody assured her, "and soon we shall be safe."

Behind them, they observed the Nezi vultures diving on their homes and blowing them to bits with their bombs,

Meanwhile, the stout Dutchmen manned the oars and were rowing strongly in the rough sea. For nearly an hour they rowed, and turning the bend of the coastline, all of them stared hopefully for the British destroyer.

"But it's not here, daddy," Josephine whispered.

Then she watched the faces of the others fall.

"There's only one thing for it," somebody said. "we must row to England."

# Frightful Trip

So. without a compass or food, and very little water, these twelve Dutch people embarked upon a journey that was to be as frightful as any adventure ever conceived by the authors of sea adventure stories.

"The first day passed pleasantly enough. Indeed, everybody was in the best of spirits, although everything they owned and everything they had lived for was lost.

Now and then, they would turn and smile at little Jose phine, who sat in the boat, looking secondly at the blue sky and wondering Just what existed clouds that looked like cotton wool in the sun.

But by sundown the next day bombed. everybody drooped at their cars, their eyes weary from exhaustion and lack of food and water. While some of the men slept little Josephine prayed to God to save them trom disaster.

# Weaker - - Weaker

The days passed, and with the close of each, this heroic little band of seafarers became weaker and weaker.

The less robust for the crew felt-over their corstunable to row any more. The tongues of the men swalled through lack of

Two, three, four, five, six days and nights passed like a prolonged and grotosque a nightmare. It seemed Indebe that they couldn't live.

Meanwhile the child had become so weak that she could hardly sit up, but all the time there burned in her breast a belief that God: would save her and her friends.

And it was on the seventh day that her prayers were answered. App British destroyer steamed unatching the refugees from death.

## "See My People Freed"

phine told me. "But it couldn't I asked." have been worse than to live un- "In God," she replied simply. V.C., it there is such a link!

SINCE THE WAR began Britain has acquired a new Fleet, the Auxiliary Patrol Service. In the "China Mail" last week some account was given of the ways in which merchant sailors have turned their hands to fighting, in the Royal Naval Reserve or in defence of their own ships, against U-boats and 'planes. The story of the Patrol Service introduces another type of recruit to war service at sea.

When war broke out a number of fishing craft were taken over by the Admiralty as patrol vessels as part of our submarine defences. These were reinforced by yachts which their owners placed at the disposal of the Navy.

Among these was the 200-ton Campeador V, sunk by an enemy It begins when those misguided mine in June. Her owner, Mr. Dutch people woke up one morn- Vernon Macandrew, handed her ing and discovered that German over to the Admiralty, served in their sky like a plague of locusts. Most of her crew were yachtsmen from South Devon, and included a retired Surgeon Rear-Admiral.

In recent months the Patrol Klein was suddenly called by Service has been strengthened until now it forms a cordon round our shores from Wick round the Germans are here. We must East and South Coasts and up the West 'Coast as far as Larne There was no panic in the mind and Liverpool. In the waters near these shores the boats of the "All right, daddy," she said, and Patrol maintain a ceaseless watch in any sort of weather conditions

## From The R.N.V.R.

The average crew of a small motor yacht is a second hand, an engineer, and two ordinary seamen. Most of the officers are drawn from the Royal Navai Volunteer Reserve, and there usually one officer to six yachts.

In the case of trawlers and drifters there is one officer to two or four vessels, with skippers in charge of the others. The fishermen who man the trawlers are specially enlisted for the duration of hostilities only.

With the Auxiliary Patrol has also been incorporated the Port of London Authority River Emergency Service, whose "beat" is on the Thames from Tower Bridge to Hole Haven. The famous barge of Mr. A. P. Herbert, M.P., is in the Thames Patrol, and when she was taken into the service her owner continued to serve in her as a petty officer.

Allied vessels are also on patrol duty, and among units on the south-west coast are trawlers manned by Poles.

The Poles have impressed British naval men as extraordinarily fine seamen, who keep their ships in first-ratecondition.

It is a thousand pities that Joseph Conrad, Polish master mariner and master, too, of English prose, did not survive to tell the story of his countrymen's high adventure in remote waters.

## Tale Still To Be Told

But, even were there a Conrad or a Herman Melville to immortalise the exploits of the Auxiliary Patrol, the tale would have to be deferred. The fewer details, available to the enemy of its work and of the exact areas in which it operates, the better for the efficiency of the service and the safety of its members.

This much can be said—that danger has become a matter of routine with these fishermen and yachtsmen, of whom few, except the Royal Naval Reserve gunlayers, have naval training. Many of their boats are such as, for peaceful purposes, would be considered fair-weather craft; and cannot be fuelled for long trips. Generally speaking, four-day tours of duty are carried out by trawlers, and the small boats are used for shorter spells.

It can also be said that some of. the boats are in action every day against enemy, aircraft, but, the full story of their exploits is, one that the future historian of the Patrol will have the greatest difficulty in piecing together.

As 'a naval officer put it' "These chaps are so used to action that they don't bother to report unless they; have casualties."

# Jean Saved

thin nightdress with a animal she barked." gown thrown over hours in darkness rescubeyond the banks of fleecy white ing injured pets of people whose homes had been

> ... With only a small torch to guide her, the girl, Miss Jean Morton, ignored bombs and shrapnel dropping around her. She worked for four hours excavating dogs, cats and seven birds trapped by fallen debris in a recent; night's London

Sholls, her pot Airedale, for "Altogether I think Altrescued" sniffed out four-legged brothers their owners." and sisters injured or trapped:

centre in Fitzroy Street, W., where injured. The blackbird was suffershe works as veterinary assistant; ing from shock. donned ther white overall and set to work dressing and bandaging women with tears in their eyes, more injured animals.

der the beastly-Germans... · "How do I like here?" Oh, it's proudly alongside of the boat, line. I like English children, and their injuries dressed. the people. But I love Holland. It | "Most of the animals are suffermeans everything to me. One day, ing from shock," the surgeon said. I know I should go back and see "Kept quiet for a time, they will my people freed. from the Gor- be all right. Jean was wonderful. mans."

A girl dressed only in a seemed to sense what was going on. Wherever she sniffed out an

While Miss Morton was speaking twenty people arrived with worked through the early injured pets, some to be destroyed. Jean was on the job helping to, put the animals painlessly, to sleep and comforting their owners. Airedale Sheila, still on duty, stood near.

"Apart from animals outside there were our own in the clinic who were frightened at the noise of bombing and gunfire," said Jean. "I gave each one a steeping draught. That took a lot of my time.

# Pet Blackbird

lowest her wherever she went - four cats, a dog and a canary. banking signals where she Others were brought to me by

One of Jean's strangest patients Jean-did not stop ! till she was lista tiny blackbird. It was brought satisfied she had done all she in by its owner, an old man, Mr. could, J. Langdon, who also brought his "Sheila" Helped pot greyhound Peggy, Peggy, who refused to leave her home till her Then she returned to the animal master had been rescued, was un-

There were queues of peoplechildren and men made homeless "I couldn't have done it without through the raids, clutching their Sheila," she told reporters. "She pets outside this animal hospital.

Seventy cate, were destroyed, that morning. One horse was brought in with a cut to be sewn up and many dogs to have

She has not had any sleep all "It was dreadful," little Jose- "And in whom have you faith?" night and has been going at it all day, too. She deserves an animal,

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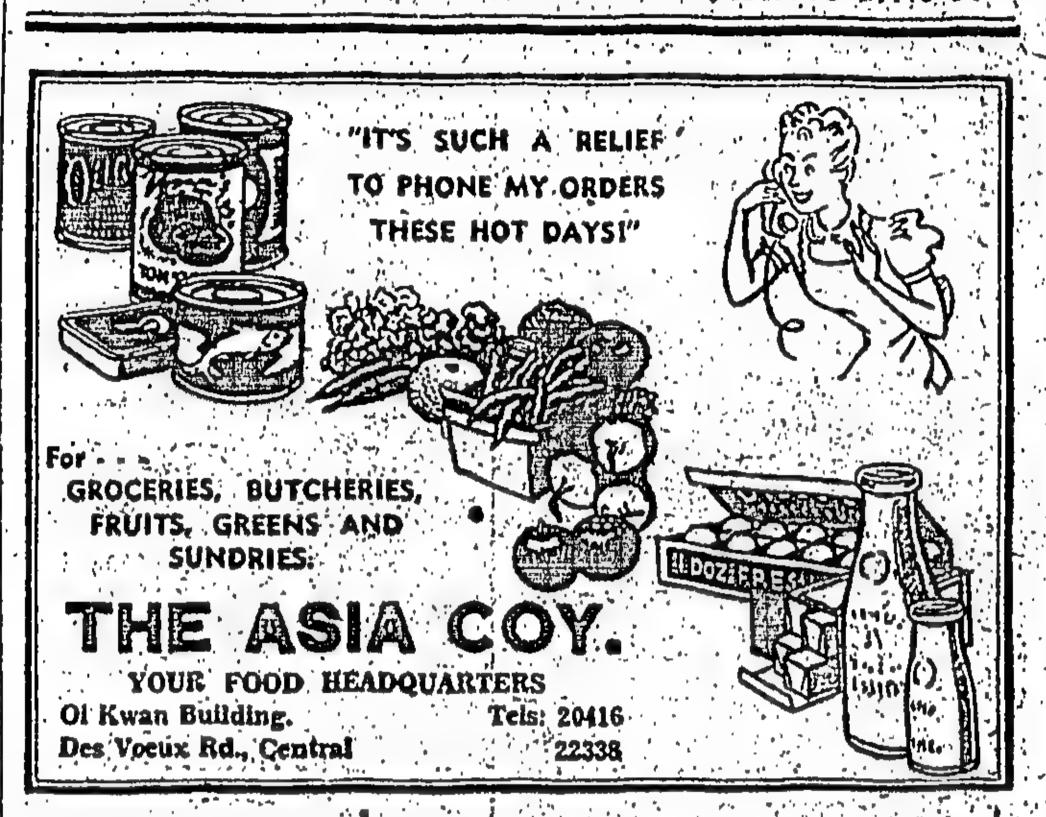
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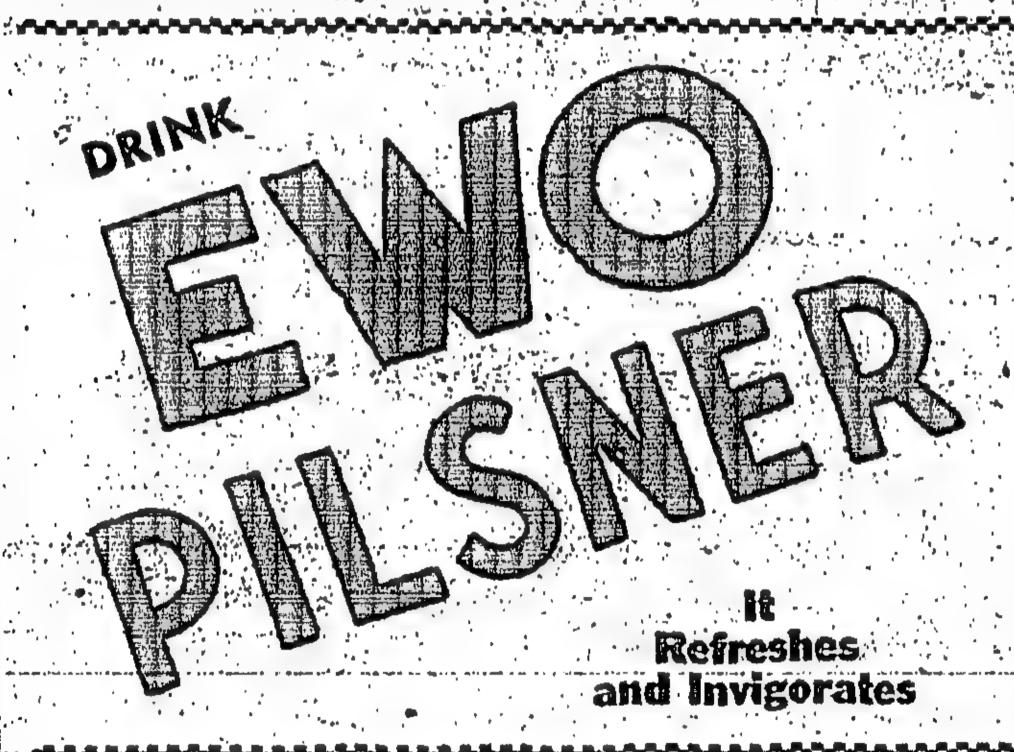
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# A Conedy Of Errors

# By The Four Aces

To-day's hand was a comedy, just what it would have been if nobody had made a mistake;

West, Dealer Neither side: vulnerable .

A A K 514 2. O A'K'J ્A 'Q 6 A 10 3 ♥ "A K Q 9. V 10 5 2 ♦ Q 10 5 4

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# 8.7 4 3 Z The bidding: East

West North Dol.

Pass 14 Pass Pass

South

IN CARD VALUES HITTHYS BADA-RUD: PAREDIO

Pass.

West the King of hearts continued the Queen Then he shifted to a diamond for known reasons himself. best to A club lead would allowed: South no chance i

for the contract, but the diamond shift was an out-and-out "gift." enjoy such freedom. South, however, was not going the full of the trump Queen. ism. I like to see the lips clearly. Then he cashed the King of dia- defined. Moreover, the suse of monds and ruffed the Jack of lipstick often improves the maown hand. So far so good.

that was decidedly not good. For East won with the club King and returned the club Jack. Now South could not avoid the loss of a second club trick in addition to the two heart tricks taken by West at the beginning.

South could have assured contract when West played the five of clubs. Correct play was to "top this with dummy's six of clubs! East would be obliged to win the trick; and 'no return would win another trick for the defence. Instead of assuming that West had to have the club King for his opening bld, South should have made the play which was sure to produce the game even if West's bid had been unsound.

Yesterday you were Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you-held:

The bidding

Maler

ANSWER: Pass. Your hand is strong enough for a non-vulnerable overcall at the level of one but not for an lovercall at .. the level for two. Your hand may. produce about four tricks, hardly enough for an eight-trick con-

Score 100 per cent, for pass, 20 per cent. for two hearts.

# Question No. 562

To-day you are Merwin Maigr's partner and, with both sides vulnerable, you hold:

The bldding: Jacoby You Betienken

10 What do you bld? (Answer

Alaler

To-morrow.

(Réleased by The Bell Syndi cate, Inc.)

BRITAIN TEEMS WITH RE-FUGEES FROM ALL THOSE COUNTRIES NOW UNDER THE WAZI HEEL THEY CONSIST OF BOTH YOUNG AND OLD. of errors, but the final result was MOST OF THEM ARRIVED HERE WHEN HITLER INVADED THE LOW COUNTRIES AND FRANCE.

Among the refugees are girls, Some of them are separated from their sweethearts.

with them the habits of their own. chemists everywhere, In their own way, they knew what best attracted the young men of their countries.

hair, what make-up to put on, the fashions in clothes and what not.

Those who are here must sometimes think of romance. Indeed, it is possible that they might even contemplate marrying a young Britisher. They are therefore eager ito learn from British girls anything that they themselves don't know.

## "Independence"

The first girl one reporter interopened viewed was Irene Arkin, of Warsaw. She escaped from that city seven days after the Nazistentered her country. After an exciting journey through many countries, she finally reached Paris.

:She said: "My first impression fof English girls was their air of Independence. They move about with such confidence that one rean't∍kelp::but/admire-them,: . !!The girls in 'my 'country 'do 'not

"Another characteristic of the Business Houses are hereby to allow West to outdo him in girls over here is the way they laid down the Ace and King of redder than those of Polish girls. trumps, noting with satisfaction But this is not adverse critic-

finesse the Queen of clubs; and Lishe was asked whether she had smiled and said: "Not yet. I'm too busy studying. You see, I'm ambitious."

Of British men, Irene had this to say: "They are so polite, so gentle and so well-mannered.

"These qualities are admirable. I should imagine that the average. Englishman would make a good husband." She said that Englishmen are

smarter in dress than ther own countrymen. "And," she added, "I think that they are generally very good-

### looking." No Good To Panic

Trene went on to tell something of the way in which Polish girls

# CUTS

scratches, grabrasions, the bruises, burns, scalds, insect bites and slings are quickly soothed and healed by the application of



She-Ko. Also for the cura-"tive" "treatment" of cerzema, a ringworm, sorus, itch, sumburn, chapped lips and thands, this fragrant antiseptic ointment is equally

All of them are naturally an rapidly beneficial. Keep a tin xious to adapt themselves to their handy in the home, your foresight new country. They have brought will reward you. Obtainable from

# They knew how to fix their Quickly soothes and heals.

stood up to bombing in early days of the war.

"We behaved very much the same as your women are behaving now," she said. "We knew that it was no good to panic.

"I would like to say this to English girls: The battle which you are sharing with your men is one in which the hopes of my fellow countrywomen are centred. ...

"And they know, too, that you will stand up heroically to the great strain of this ordeal through which you are passing just now.

"You are fighting for their liberty as much as for your own, for if Britain fails they can never hope to enjoy freedom again."



It's all right to build castles in the air but sooner or later a man realises he can't travel very far living in a cloud.

# OFF THE RECORD

By ED REED.



"Please put both hands back on the wheel, darling. . Let's not take any chancos!

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# Bringing Up Father









# Economy

Appetising but inexpensive are these delicious dishes made from vegetables and fruits that are in season new.

Economy is the watchword in the kitchen these days. We're all making the most of foods that are i in season and keeping our eyes open for inexpensive ingredients to cover. When soft, strain or pass for our dishes. But inexpensive through a sieve. Make the liquid meals don't have to be dull meals | up to a pint with water, and add Far from it—with a pinch of sea- | the well-washed tapioca grain soning and a little imagination, the juice and the sugar. Simme you, can work wonders with the tapica gently until it is quite simplest foods. This week I am clear and transparent. Pour into giving you some of my favourite a wetted mould and set aside in a economy recipes. They're nourish-leool place. Turn out and serv ing and delicious, but they don't decorated with cherries and deput the slightest strain on your siccated coconut. pocket book.

## Brawn

pig's head I onion 6 peppercorns Cold salt water Sprig of parsley Blade of mace

Seasoning

Salad. put into a large saucepan of cold it comes a caramel. Add the milk salt water. Bring to the boil and and heaten egg and stir until it skim. Add the onion, peppercorns, thickens. Cut the bread into small mace and cook, gently for three dice, and pour the hot caramel hours until the flesh leaves the over this. Cover and leave for his bones. Lift out the head, trim off hour. Prepare the fruit and pee all the meat, and chop finely. Re- and stir this with the grated lemon turn the bones to the liquor and rind into the bread without mashboil the liquid briskly without a ing it. Put into a greased basin lid until it is reduced to half, and steam for 133 hours. Strain the liquor over the meat and season well. Pour into wetted moulds or basins and leave till set. Turn out when cold, garnish with parsley, and serve with ! salad.

# Fruit Mould

 1 lb. pears or guavas or any soft fruit Desiccated coconut 3 oz. crushed tapicca 🟓

Sugar to taste. Stew the fruit in sufficient water

## Caramel Pudding

oz, stale bread 6 lumps of sugar

egg. 4 pint milk 3 oz. sultanas 2 oz. candied peel

Grated lemon rind

1 tablespoon water Dissolve the sugar in 1 table-Wash the head thoroughly and spoon water and heat gently until

# Stuffed Warrow

l marrow 4 oz. minced meat

4 oz. breadcrumbs

### cooked onion Boiling salt water

Parsley 1. teaspoon mixed herbs

1 egg Seasoning

Cooked carrots

Halve the marrow lengthwise and scoop out all the seeds. Remove the peel and cook it for eight minutes in boiling salt water. Chop the onion finely and add the herbs, breadcrumbs band minced meat. Moisten with beaten egg or stock, season well, and pack the stuffing into the halves of the marrow. Put the two halves together and bake in a covered casserole or baking dish for 1 hour. Garnish with parsley and serve with young carrots.

## Fish A La Normandie

4 even-sized potatoes

1/2 lb. seer fish 2 tablespoons shrimps "

tablespoon cheese;

14 dz. butter.

½ oz. flour 34 pint milk

chopped.

Pepper and salt Scrub the potatoes and bake them in their jackets. Put the fish into a baking dish, cover with greased paper, and bake in a moderate oven for twenty minutes. Prepare a thick white sauce from the butter, flour, milk and seasoning. Add any liquid from fish 'lo the sauce and stir in the seasoning and the shrimps, or prawns

Remove the centre of the polatoes and beat this into the sauce. Place a portion of fish in the centre of each notato. Cout with the sauce, sprinkle with grated cheese, and brown under a red-hot grill.

which have been picked and

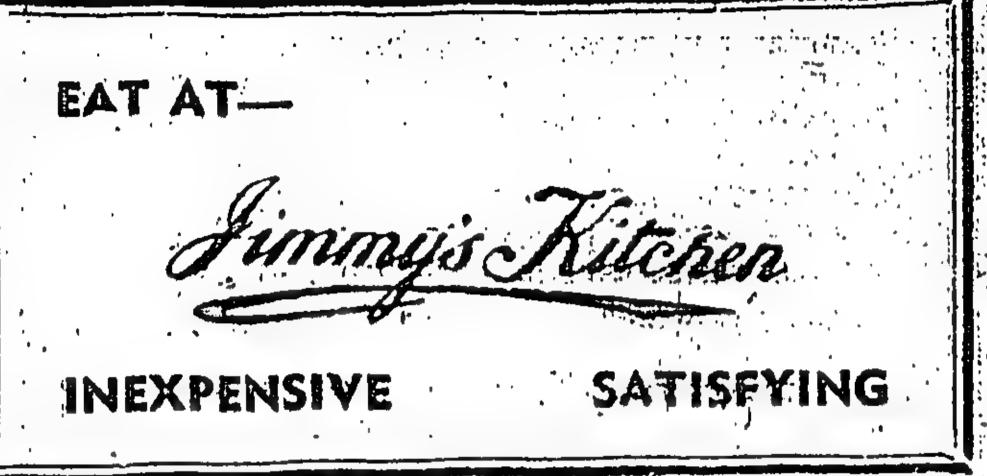
Finger treatment requires no expensive outlay; good skin foods can be used to keep the skin supple and: white, but a bottle of liquid paraffin-will give excellent results if used regularly

The cuticles of the nails should

be smeared with a trace of vaseline and then a little paraffin should be poured into the hollow of one palm. Proceed to rub it well into both hands, using a rotary movement of the thumb of one hand down the length of each. finger, working always from the nails towards-the wrists and treating first the inside and then the back of the hands. Finish by wringing the hands loosely with a rotary movement of the wrists, The following exercise is ex-cellent for keeping the fingers slender, and supple. Hold the hand palm upwards, stretching the thumb out stiffly and keeping it quite still; during the exercise. Then bend your first finger until it touches the ball of the thumb without moving the other fingers. Return the first finger to its original position and proceed with the others in turn. At first, it your hands are stiff, you will not find this an easy performance, but practice will make perfect.

... When despondent regarding the appearance of your hands from the point of view of their colour. treat yourself to a lemon and mag-3 sts. tog. Repeat, from o to end. 5th row. 4 K4, p.2. Rep. from a nesia pack. To prepare this mix a tablespoonful of milk or cream? of magnesia with a teaspoonful of lemon juice, and apply evenly all over the hands and fingers after washing them thoroughly, It dries quickly and should be left

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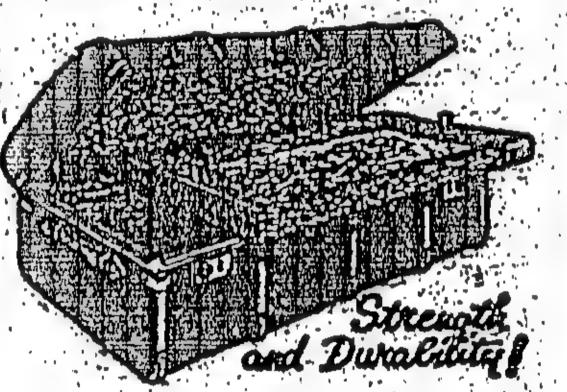
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For motoring. Place join to side back. Pass one end tightly round head to right and second end loosely to left to "give a softly draped effect. One end is now longer than the other and can be knotted at side.

Materials, 202. 3-ply Royal Blue super-fingering, loz. white or other colour for contrast. 1 pr. No. 7 and I pu. No. 12 pins. Abbreviations; K. knit, p. purl, sts. 1 stitches, tog, together, dec. decrease.

Crown: Using the blue wool, cast on 140 sts with No. 12 pins. Rib 5 ins. Kil, Pil.

Shape the top: 1st row - Rib 11 ns! Take next 3 tog. Repeat from to end. Rib three rows without decreasing.

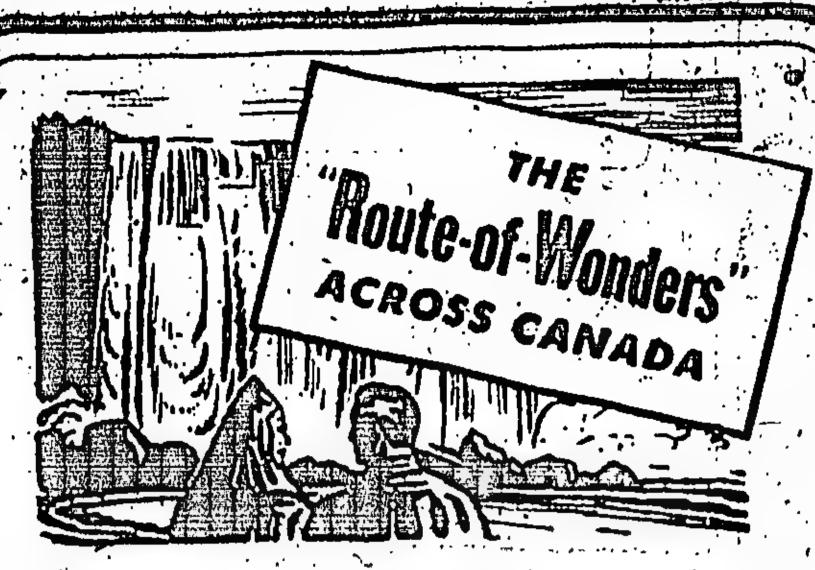
next 3 sts. tog. Rep. from o to end. edge. Cast. off. Make a similar Alb A saw! Continue decreasing strip in white wool.



from to last stitch, k.1. Draw up with riesdle and wool. Brim (holf wrap) -- With blue

wool and No. 7 pins, cast on 30 oth row. Rib 9 sts. Take next sts. Work 4 rows plain knitting. Hib three rows without dec: to end. Repeat this row until work 19th row,-- Rib 7, sts. Take the measures 25in. from the cast-on

in this ways withbing at the beginning. To make up the turban -- Sew' of the decreasing row 2. sts less the seams of the crown and join each time (thus you dec. in the the brim wrap ends together.) are nonutes after it one row, then rib one row with. Press with warm iron and damp has hardened. Then wash off in out dec.) until 20 sts remain. . / cloth. Stitch seam of brim wrap lukewarm water and apply your Last row R1 1 11b, 3 tog, rep. I to the back of crown.



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# LEFTLIFE SAVINGS BEHIND

A woman who carried the life A four-months old child, Lessavings of her husband and her lie Thomas Monks, was fatally self in a handbag wherever she burnt in a push-cart in which he went left the hoag behind when was sleeping in the backyard of a she rushed from a market place to take cover during a raid war-

.She has now , recovered them under remarkable circumstances. At 10 a.m. the baby's mother, Here is the story:—

An East Dercham (Norfolk) greengrocer, Mr. Robert Ellis, was amazed to find a handbag containing 300 £1 notes wrapped in sacks, which had been on his stall | "I then covered the baby with in Dereham Market

and Mrs. James Edwards, of room upstairs." Webster's Cottages, Yaxham Road, Eas: Dereham.

When Mr. Ellis restored the money to Mr. and Mrs. Edwards they were so grateful that they offered him £150 reward, but he would accept only £5.

Mrs. Edwards said that when she was shopping in the market place a raid warning was given and, rushing from a shop to take cover, she left the handbag behind.

was afraid to bank the money," she added, "and even when I went into the raid shelter in my garden I took it with me. When I went back for it after the 'All Clear' had sounded and found it was gone I nearly went mad."

# POULTRY-KEEPERS' GRIEVANCES

A further diminution in the supply of home produced eggs is forecast by the National Poultry keepers.

"It is merely adding insult to actual costs of production. . injury to the producer," states the letter, "for the Ministry of Food, "Costs have increased by at

# BABY BURNI DEATH

residential in Botany Road, Road, Sydney. Detectives have been unable to discover what caused

ed him in the push cart about a defence secrets and other impor- a railway near Arras and gave and the back of the re- tant. State documents have now orders for the first shot to be Hon. Mr. S. H. Compton, Esq., Sidential which recovery and at the back of the resmall yard at the back of the re- tant. State documents have now sidential which years ago was a been sent to secret, bideouts fired on Douai railway junction. o. Mishin, Enq., hotel, until the child fell asleep.

a blanket and placed a mosquito trusted photographic experts who, just come from the Fourth Army, net over the push cart so that he He took the money to Dereham could sleep in the sun," said Mrs. Police Station, where he learned Monks: "When I left, there was that it was the life savings of Mr. no sign of fire, and I went to my

> Half an hour later, John Roche, who occupies a room at the place went into the yard to place a bath towel on the line. "I found the push-cart blazing," he said. "The baby seemed to be enveloped in flames, and shouting to its mother, I lifted him from the cart, and rushed him to the laundry tubs a few feet away. Soapy water was in the troughs, and nlunged the child under the water until the flames were extinguish-

> By this time, however, the child's body was badly burnt, and though he was rushed by ambulance to the Children's Hospital, he died four hours later. Mr. Roche was scorched about the arms, and his shirt sleeves were set alight.

> tectives Fergusson and Hill, and Sergeant Walker, of Redfern, are investigating the cause of

Council in a letter to the Ministry solute minimum, to guarantee the of Food, in which it complains of profits for intermediary traders, ce for ever "all these silly per-"niggardly treatment" of poultry and, at the same time, to keep the producers' prices down below the that it does not matter what we first stated.

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sons who have been telling us

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cruelties were the logical out-

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# KING'S FATHER HAD AN

The King and Queen recently heard how a suggestion made by King George V helped to defeat the Germans in 1918. In a heavy artillery school in

the Northern Command a lieutenant-colonel of the Royal Engineers told how on August 8, 1918, King George the Fifth came Mrs. Rose Victoria Monks, wheel- cates of the whole of Britain's to a 14-inch naval gun position on

> This is the result; of day, and the lieutenant-colonel, in comnight work by highly skilled and mand of the battery that he had in secret laboratories, have photo- which was launching its attack Bangkob graphed the records in such tiny on Amiens.

> form that they, can "be carried. "You can be perfectly sure that the Germans will have to rush Centon Several sets of prints of each their reinforcements from Ypres Chefoo of the documents have been through Douai," said King George made so that if one set should V. "Why not keep up a harassing Foodow be destroyed during air raids fire on the railway junction?" "We dropped 120 tons of high

"The work has taken many explosives on the railway junc- Ilollo weeks," an official told the press, tion," the colonel told the King. "as only our experts and the most ... "Afterwards an English lady trusted men could be put on to the told me that there were 400 job. Hitler would have given casualties in a German troop millions of pounds to have been train on our first day's firing,"

able to spend five minutes in the The gun, nicknamed the "Boche Buster," and sister gun, known BOXES in various sizes TO LET. A suggestion that photographic as the "Scene Shifter," are soon miniatures of the documents to be in action against the Hun should be made was put forward again.

# After Secret Service and C.I.D.

officers had chased a suspected spy from Guildford through London and Northampton to Shrewsbury, he was killed in a field on the point of capture.

He was John Vincent Cain, 33-year-old lance-corporal in 'a' London regiment, who, it was alleged, had a criminal record.

Moderator of the newly formed There is deep mystery in the circumstances of Cain's death. It has not been established whether he took his own life, as was at

Inquiries showed; it was alleged, and as there was reason to believe that Cain was a known criminal. Hon: Sir Shou-son Chow, Chairman: dress to the Council in London he he was carrying out espionage the declared that the war was the officers who had picked up his fruit of Nazi and Fascist creeds trail first at Guildford chased forced into the minds of youth Cain to London and thence to for years past. The atrocious Northampton.

Here they missed him by only a few minutes, Right along the road that led to Holyhead the "In my judgment, the over-I chase went on till, near Shrewswhelming body of Free Church-bury, Cain took to a field, where Betavia men stand by the Prime Minis- later he was found shot.

ter in the gigantic and almost Great secrecy was observed at overwhelming burden that lies the preliminary inquest on Cain, Hankow heavily upon him. As far as we and neither Press nor public were

bearing of the burden," he said. For the last fortnight special branch officers have been inves-"From him we hear no glorie tigating Cain's movements and fication of war as we have done connections during the past few from Hitler and Mussolini. months. When the died he had Jingoism in this country. As been absent from his regiment

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# Lloyd, Anderson And Zimmern Bowl

By "Adrem"

Consistent bowling by F. R. Zimmein, N. D. Lloyd and D. J. N. Anderson, for K. C. C., gave the Kowloon club a six-wicket victory over Hong Kong Cricket Club in a friendly whole-day game at Chater Road yesterday.

backed by a keen field and both his back play sound, the ground-fielding and catching was particularly good, Anderson taking three good catches and Rapley and F. R. Zimmern distinguishing themselves with their ground-sielding.

Neverthelass, Cricket Club's poor showing with the bat was hard to explain. The wicket was good and the bowling, apart from Lloyd's slows, was not really dangerous.

Richardson and Knight gave after wickets fell steadily, judi- wickets for just an hour. cious bowling changes being most effective.

# **Useful Stand**

5 for 45 but a stand between spell, taking three wickets in his Richardson and John Pearce first two overs for only one run possible that this pair would pull Zimmern met with scant success and two sixes, in 33 minutes. the fat out of the fire as both were in his first spell, when he could , batting sto dly and Pearce never not find a length, but in his appeared in any difficulty, his second spell he was practically

With the score at 76, however, Richards -- was brilliantly taken in the clips by Donald Anderson, who snapped up a quick chance which Broadbridge got his hands to but failed to hold. This was the beginning of the end and a remarkable collapse followed, the next four wickets falling in the space of 10 minutes without addition to the scort.

Richardson batted stolidly and H.K.C.C. a useful start, adding at no time looked like getting out. 32 for the first wicket, but there- He hit six fours and was at the

> Although he did not secure the best analysis Lloyd bowled really brilliantly. He was always trying something and had all the batsmen reaching for them.

At 12.17 Cricket Club had lost Anderson also had a useful

# PENALTIES FOR INEFFICIENCY

The War Fund should benefit considerably as the regult of the introduction, at K.C.C. and H.K.C.C. over the week-end of bexes in which cricketers who drop catches or make "ducks" are reguired to contribute 20 cents. Both boxes benefited sub-Etantially yesterday - His. C.C. members in the match at Chater Road donating particularly "generously!"

The K. C. C. bowlers were forward play being confident and unplayable to take three wickets in his last over for only one run.

# K.C.C. Bat

K. C. C. were given a good start by Anderson and Hung, both of whom batted steadily, but after being 40 for 1 a partial collaps: set in and the next three wickets fell for the addition of only 10 runs. A. Zimmern and 'Mackay then stayed together until the scores were tied and Francis Zimmern came in to make the winning hit.

K. C. C. continued batting, Zimmern going on to make 37 and Teddy Fincher securing 18 not out. At 160, K. C. C. de-H.K.C.C. had a clared and 'further '90 minutes' 'batting during which isome of the brightest cricket of the day was séch.

stopped the rot and it appeared and finishing up with 3 for 4. and scored 69, including 11 fours

# HONG 'KONG C.C.

, E. Richardson, e Anderson, b G. C. Knight, c. F. Zimmern, b Lloyd ....ii. ...iii.... T. A. Pearce, c Fincher, b Anderson S. Bosanquet, c Anderson, b

A. E. Perry, c Lloyd, b Anderson C. D. N. Walker, b Anderson ..... J. L. C. Pearce, c Anderson, b Lloyd T. V. N. Fortescue, b F. Zimmern H. Owen Hughes, Lb.w., b F. Zim-

E. W. Pudney, not out ..... F. Baker, b Lloyd ..... Extras (B7, LB2) ......

# **Bowling Analysis**

Zimmern ...... Lloyd ..... 12.7 Anderson ..... 4 KOWLOON C.C. D. J. N. Anderson, b Baker ..... 20

D. Hung, c T. A. Pearce, b Perry E. F. Fincher, b Baker ...... N. A. E. Mackay, b T. A. Pearce A. Zimmern, b Owen Hughes ..... F. R. Zimmern, st. Fortescue, b E. C. Fincher, not out

W. L. Rapley, R. T. Brondbridge. T. A: Madar and N. D. Lloyd did not

Extres (B21, LB5)

# Bowling Analysis

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mern, b'Rapley
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T. A. Pearce, b Fincher
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D. S. Bosanquet, not out
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F. Baker, b. Anderson
H. Owen Hughes, not out
H. Owen Hughes, not out

Total (for 5 wkts.) ...... 140 J. E. Richardson, A. E. Perry, J. L. C. Peurce and C. D. N. Walker did not

# Bowling Analysis

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# MACAULEY'S BIG SCORE

auley, of Diocesan Boys' School, who was brought into the side at the last CBA. moment to make up num- Kumaons Engineers bers, and the surprising Khalsa failure of the powerful Gunboats Cricket Club batting side Destroyers featured the friendly whole-day cricket match Police "A" at Kowloon Cricket Club Engineers University yesterday, between the Khalsa junior teams of K.C.C. and 2nd M.T.B.'s H.K.C.C.

K. C. C. won by the large mai - A. N. Other "XI" v gin of 102 runs.

K. C. C. batted first and Macauley and Burch put on 59 for the first wicket. Baxter then signals came in and runs came steadily Destroyers and not until 102 runs had been added for the second wicket was the partnership broken, Macaulty being caught and bowled, by Gillespic with his score at 87.

The D. B. S. boy hit 13 fourt during a stay at the wickets of 100 minutes and, although he was dropped several times, hit. innings was a valuable on?. Baxter was very restrained

and hit only four fours in his 50 -this "second thair-estimity, in suc-.cessive matches,

With their score at 213 for 9 Alec Pearce hit hard and often wickets, K. C. C. declared, Robb. Police "B" bowled very steadily for H.K.C.C. 2nd M.T.B.'s and finished up with 4 for 67 in overs. At one time he had conceded 55 runs with- sth A.A. "B" out taking a wicket but he viniversity took his four wickets in his last Engineers three overs for only 9 runs, Finnie | Kumaons also bowled steadily to take 3 for lineward

48. in 15 overs. H. K. C. C. never looked like getting the runs and Bishop and A: N: Other "XI" v Destroyers Gillespie, who both reached the Police "A" v. Gunboats twenties, were the only batsmen C.B.A. to offer any real resistance. Recreio Curtis bowled very well for the Nomads home team to take 3 for 28, while Police B" Baldwin's spinners brought him 5th A.A. "A" 4 for 44 in eight overs:

. Macauley, c and b Gillespic	
. R. Burch. run out	
M. Baxter, b Finnie	
. A. Gray, b Finnic	
. W. Bertram: b'Rabb	ď
l. Baldwin, b Robb	
Curtis, st. Parsons, b Robb	7
I. Brokenshire, b Finnle	
V. W. Parsons, b Robb	
Leigh, not out	
Extras (BI, LBI, WBI, NBI)	۴
Total	2
Bowling Analysis	
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K.C.C. AND XI.

### P'shop .... 3 0 18 Mackenzie ...... 2 0 · Paterson ..... H.K.C.C, 2ND XI D. O., Parsons, c Macauley, b N. D. Bocker, I b.w., b Curtis ..... J. C. C. Matthews, c Leigh, b R | H . Griffiths, c Macauley, b.

Baldwin ..... R. M. M. King, b Curtis ...... C. W. E. Bishop, c Macauley, b Brideln ..... 21 A. R. Mickenzle, b. Curtis ..... D Engineers R. D. Gillespie, b Parsons ..... R. S. W. Paterson, c Bertrain, b Buren "Kar ofthe to had a come source 

Bowling Analysis ... ... Simpson beginning at 4 y 90, 4, 12 gr Baldwin ..... 8 ... 0 44 . 4

# CORRECTION

The following correction regarding the Special Dollar Sweep 5th M. "E" drawn at the Macao Race Meeting on Sunday has been issued by the Macao Jockey Club:- Police "A" The first prize in the special sweep (Race No. 5) was drawn 5th A.A. "A" by Ticket No. "04346 and not and M'T.B.'s" Ticket No. 14346 as given in Kumanas yesterday's papers.

# HOCKEY FIXTURES

Hong Kong Hockey Association Fine batting by J. Mac- Tournament fixtures for the sea-

### 3rd Round November 17

v A. N. Other "XI" v. Police "A" v Nomads v Signals v. University v 5th A,A, "A' · v 2nd M.T.B.'s v Police "B"

4th Round, November 24 v A. N. Other "XI" Nomads v Recreio Kumaons Signals v 5th A.A. v - Gunboats Destroyers

5th Round. December 1 Engineers Nomads Recreio CB.A. 2nd M.T.B.'s University Kumaons Khalsa v 5th A.A. "A"

"6th Round, December 8 v A. N. Other "XI" University Engineers v Police "A" v C.B.A. Nomads 5th A.A. "A" 'v Police "B" 5th A:A. "B" V Kuinabns · v Signals Gunboats . Khalsa 🚈 v Destroyers

7th Round, December 15. A.'N. Other "XI" v 5th A.A. Police "A" v ' University CEA. v Engineers " v" Nontads Recreio . v.:Gunboats Kumaons Destroyers v Signals.

8th Round. December 22 v. 'A. 'N. Other 'XI'' Gunboats v Police "A" v CBA. v Recreio Destroyers v Police "B" v 2nd M.T.B.'s

9th Round, December 29 v, 5th A.A. "B" v University v Kumaons v Signals v Khalsa

A. N. Other "XI" v Police "B" v Police "A" Destroyers Gunboats v C.B.A. 5th A A. !'B'' Recreio v Nomads University 2nd M.T.B.'s Kumaons 5th A.A. "A"

-510th. Round, Jahuary 5, 1941

11th Round, January 12 v A. N. Other "XI" v Police "B" Police ."A", v 'Destroyers v Gunbonts 13. Nomads v 5th A.A. "B" v University Engineers 5th A.A. "A" v Kumabns

12th Round, January 19 A. N. Other "XI".v 5th A.A. Police "A" 2nd M.T.B. s Police "B" C.B.A. Destroyers · · Recreio Gunboats<sub>'</sub>, 5th A.A. "B"" Kumaons

13th 'Round, January, 26 · v A, N, Other, "XI" 5th 'A.A. "A" " 'v "Police "A" C.B.A. 'v 2nd M.T.B.'s Recreia v Police "B" Normads, \* v. Destroyers - V. Gunboats √ 5th A.A. "B" University - 👱 v . Kūmaons

V' 5th A.A. "A" C.B.A. 2nd M.T.B.'s .. Nomads .... - v : Police "B". Engineers v Destroyers Gunboats " " v University

15th Round. February 9. .v.A. N. Other Signals Khalsa. 5th A A. "A" Nomada. Pellee "B" Des royers

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v Police "A" CB.A.

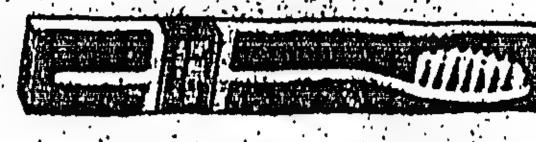
16th Round., February 15  $C,D,\Lambda$ : Recruio ·· v Khalan · vi : Nontada: L. v. Engineers v Viniversity Destroyers ...

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N the second round of the Small Units' football competition, there were one or two surprises with the formidable "A" Company team of the

Small Units Middlesex los-

Football . Company of the. Royal Scots. Their team includes several battalion first and second eleven footballers. .

Another surprise result was the R.A.S.C. being beaten by "C" Company of Royal Scots in a good hard game, the Scots winning by three goals to two.

Results to date in the second round;---

.24th Hvy. Bty. R.A. beat the FUND. R.A.O.C. 4-0. 22nd (F) Coy. R. E. beat "A"

Coy. of the Royal Scots 4-0. the R.A.S.C. 3—2,

"D" Coy, of the Royal Scots beat "A" Coy. of the Middlesex 1-0. R:A.F. beat "B" Coy, of the Royal Scots 2-1.

The 22nd (F) Coy, Engineers deservedly beat "A" Coy, of the Royal Scots by four clear goals. It was a match which promised to be quite interesting but, owing to various incidents especially in the latter part of the game, it was completely spoiled. From the kick-off the Scots had the Sappers pinned in their own half and from a scramble in the goalmouth the ball was sent up the field to Li Wai-lum who, after beating Naysmith, sent in a terrific shot which gave Bankier no chance but luckidy enough hit the upright and rebounded into his hands; he was unable to hold it, however, and Jones, dashing in, hooked the ball into the net to give the Sappers the lead.

From then on the Sappers had most of the play and Fox received the ball, and, after working his way towards the goal, he let drive and gave the Engineers their sacand gaol. After the interval the Sappers increased their score to three, and the final goal came through Jones taking a shot at goal which Bankier misjudged and one of the defenders deflected into the net.

COR the great event to-morrow which is taking place in the vicinity of Stonecutters Island, the undermentioned

Rowing crews will take part and the Engineers 19-8: Regatta and Service Corps, who hare the two will be worth watching. A good display of oarsmanship should be Force did not play. seen.

lows:--

Bty. R.A.; 24th Hvy. Bty. R.A.; Fortress Royal Engineers; Carrier Platoon of the Royal Scots; "C" Company of the Middlesex; and the Royal Army Service Corps.

THE Combined Small Units did well in their first match of the season on Saturday when they defeated Hong Kong Cricket Club juniors wickets Chater Road.

· Small Units have a strong team and should be able to retain the Large Units Cricket Cup which they won last season.

Club batted first and scored 92. They lost their first five: wickets for 25 runs and did well to reach 92 due to the fine batting of R. M. M. King who made a brilliant 39.

"The Small Units replied with Coombes 25 not out, Capt. Dewar following up the ball, scored after Por the R.A.S.C. took five wickets for 40 runs.

On Saturday the Engineers drew Civil Service 123 to win. They had Grosten, one of the Sappers play- en route to Manila. reached 98 for seven when the ers, was hit on the leg and had to light failed. Major Grose, the Area leave-the field; this was not sur- | Johnny, Mayhew, one Cricket Secretary, made a fine 18 prising, in fact the surprising part keenest followers of local daries.

Pay Corps drew with the Civil A grand solo run down the field Service juniors at Sookunpoo after by Shaw, put the Engineers on a good and exciting game. Civil level terms and Homburg then Service scored 124 and the Pay scored the fourth goal, putting the

", Young of the Pay Corps did well the Gunners could not stop their with his bowling and took 5 wie- opponents, who were doing alkets for 40 runs. At first he could most what they liked with the ball. not settle down but when he did . During the latter part of the finally find his length they could game the ball never left the Gunnot stop him:

get-going and the Engineers were up they will go a long way, in the for Conada, where she will study Leems beaten by the Central British tournament.

# he Rest Good Value For Victory Over The Services

# Cheung Wing-Choi In Form Moxham, Roughley Defend Well

A BIG CROWD WAS PRESENT ON THE CLUB GROUND YESTERDAY TO SEE THE REST OF THE COLONY DEFEAT COMBINED SERVICES BY THREE CLEAR GOALS IN THEIR ANNUAL SOCCER MATCH IN AID OF THE POPPY DAY

rivals were kept in good spirits by and. Hau Ching-to. the annual clash between the "C" Coy, of the Royal Scots beat Press and Referees which ended in a draw.

> Displaying better understanding |, and combination Rest were the more aggressive side and only the sterling work of Moxham, in goal, and Roughley, right-back, prevented them from running up a bigger score.

## Roughley On Form

Roughley played a great game and had the full measure of the nippy winger Hau Ching-to, while Bright worked very hard in the pivotal berth but was given little or no support by the wing halves.

The forwards, though good inseldom worked well as a unit.

For the Rest, Cheung Wingchoi was brilliant between the sticks and the fact that the Services could not score was mainly due to his wonderful anticipation. Howlett gave a surprisingly good performance and fitted in well into an all-Chinese forward

King-cheong scored for Rest of the Colony.

Pearson, Hossack, Saw and Gil-

Rest: -- Cheung Wing - choi; Williamson, Hsu King-sing; Chung Yung-sum, Fung King-

Gunners were severely --trounced-by the Rebest-fancied crews in this event, Softball creio Bees 42-6 and Royal Scots and Air

Crews taking part are as fol- Nihe Hong Kong Hockey tournament only one service team 17th A.A. Bty. R.A.: 7th A.A. played over the week-end. The Signals lost to the Hockey Nomads by two goals to nil and all other

matches were cancelled. At Sookunpoo last week, the Engineers defeated the 5th A.A. Regt., R.A., by eight goals to three after being one goal down at the interval.

Despite the big margin by which they won, the game was in doubt until the last 20 minutes. Owing to a very shaky start by the defence the Engineers were two goals down in the first few minutes of the game. Shortly after this Shaw gave them their first goal but the Gunners soon replied by scoring a third.

This rather shook the Engineers but they then began to liven up, and although their forwards made The Small Units replied with repeated onslaughts on the Gun-142 for four wickets, French make ners' goal, they were unable to wan was declared; with the rank ruin your teeth like that! Use dentifrice s ind 49 Stoner 30, and Lieut, make any headway until Twomey of Pilot-Sergeant, Gibbs, the dentifrice with the yet gently ball with a first timer.

casualties!

Corps 87 for six wickets. Sappers in the lead, and after this

further ahead. getting four OVER the week-end Services more goals to win by eight goals

Before the big game, early ar-|cheong, Lai Shiu-wing, Howlett

The raffic for the ball used in the game was won by ticket No. 202.

## Annual Tussie

In the curtain raiser, the comferees one-all in a game which, in all-round improvements if it did not attain a very high the Club. standard, never lacked exciting moments and the crowd was kept in good humour throughout.

Press netted in the first half ting. through Tam Chan-kin. run of play the Referees equalis- and O. M. Omar, the ball. Ip was left in posses- Taylor and Lee Bing-tong.

The annual general meeting of Kowloon Indian Tennis Club was held on Sunday, and the following; were elected officers; for the ensuing. year.—President, Mr. Assudamal Vasvani; Vice-Presidents, Messrs, Bhagwan, Ditta and Feroz Din; Hon. Secretary, 'Mr. Ishar Singh Paritam: Hon: nis representative, Mr. Surjan King and S/Lt. Poole. Singh: Hockey representative, Mr. Karnail Singh; Ground representative, Mr. Gurbux Singh; Committee, Messrs. Prem Nath. Sharma, Sahib Khan, Rattan Singh, C. S. Garewall and Abdul row kick-off 5 p.m. on Club ground: Azziz.

The retiring, President, Mr. Mahan Singh thanked the incin- (Capt.); S/Lt. Eager, L. S. Tonns. bers for their cooperation and bined: Press drew with the Re- goodwill, which he said, resulted

sion and had no difficulty in net-

Omar Press:—A. M. Omar; Maher, centred and Fraser headed, the Mo Chi-ming: Muk Kan-yue; ball straight to Tam who made Martin, Au Shi-ngok; Turner, A. no mistake. Much against the T. Lee, Tam Chun-kon, Munton

ed through Ip. A. M. Omar, ran | Referees:—Ford; Fraser, King dividually, lacked cohesion and out to catch a high ball and col- | Kan-piu; Demee, Brackenbury lided with Mo who also went after Wilson; Carley, Smith, K. K. Ip,

# From Here And There

Cardinals were handicapped in their League Association concerning the revival Lai Shiu-wing (2) and Fung softball fixture on Sunday of the "Ralston Cup" tennis tourby the absence of Betty O.B.A. Matches, it is stated, will Roughley, Edmunds; Parnaby, Lavidia, both of whom played a big part in their recent, sensational victory Blackburn, Lee Tin-sang; Pope, over Wahoos. Miss Fitz-. gerald is laid up with a bout of malaria, while Miss Lavidia sustained a fractured finger in the inatch against Wahoos:

> Miss Connie. Maxwell: is the latest recruit to golf. Sho has been put up for membership at Country Club, Sheungshui.

Maxy Edwards, who pitched Hong Kong Baseballers to victory in their recent, match against Recreio, was a member of the Shanghai: Buccaneers! softball team which won, the championship in Shanghai recently.

Billy Clague, former, member, o Hong Kong, Baseball, Club, has enrolled as a freshman at Leland Stanford Unlversity in California, United States. He will be keeping up his baseball, and will also, be playing, golf, at which game he is showing considerable, promise.

The many friends of W. E. Peers, former Interport. Rugby. player, will be interested to learn. that he has been given a commission in the Royal: Air Force and is said: to; have made several trips over Berlin. It will be recalled; that Reers, who was in command of the local. Volunteer

the goalkeeper. had cleared the E. W. Loveless, formerly a keen member of Hong Kong Crickets Half time came with the score Club and who has been stationed: with the Civil Service, who scored three goals to two for the Gunners. in Shanghai, passed through the 122 for eight declared giving the ... Tenuminutes after the re-start Colony in the course of the week

of-the not out in which were eight boun- of it was that there were not more ball, left for San Francisco in the course of the week.

A. O. Barretto, Hon. Secretary of Victoria Recreation Club and one who has done a great deal for local swimming, will be married shortly to Miss Gloria D'Almada e Castro, formerly one of the best lady othletes in the Colony.

13 ... 10 years .. It is learned from a very reners half and the Sappers went liable ource that Miss Freda Salmon, who took such a prominent part in University athletics in teams once again, could not to three. If the Engineers keep this year ago, will shortly be leaving

There is some talk among members of Queen's College Old Boys! nament, open to members of the at Causeway Bay if sufficient entithe Annual Dinner.

Following Navy Rugby teams have theen announced Royal Navy versus Police in the first match of the Quadrangular Tournament on Saturday:-

Tel: Honeywill; Mid. Robinson, Mid. Bucknel, A/Ldg, Tel. Paul and S/Lt. McGill; Lt, Carter; (Capt.) and, S/Lt. Rutherford: L. S. A. Palmer, Lt. Wat-Treasurer, Mr. Mit Singh; Bar son, Sgt. Manfield, F/Lt. Taylor, S/Lt. Convenor, Mr. Attar Singh, Ten- Beattle, S/Lt. Wilkinson, C. P. O. Wir.

Reserves:-F/Lt. Wright. A/Ldg. Tel. Bowden, Cadet Lamble, Lt.-Cdr. Clark, Lt. (E), Brown, S/Lt; Carey. and L. S. Brewer.

"A" TEAM Navy "A" versus Club "A" to-mor--P. O. Clough; Marine Rees, S/Lt. Brown, Cadet Lamble and P. O. Skinner; S/Lt. Smith and Lt.-Cdr. Clark P/O Baugh, A. B. Grangle, Sig. Garbett, Ord. Sea. Taylor, Cadet Hurley and A. B. Hughes.

Reserves:-Mid, Wood, Tel. Faulkner, E. A. Wilson, S. B. A. Addis, Ldg. Sig. Mitchell and S/Lt. Thornhill.

The Annual General · Meeting of the Hong Kong Football Referees' Association will be held. at the Hotel Cecil to-day at 8

1. To read and confirm minutes. of the last Annual General Meet-

2. To read Chairman's Report. 3. To receive and adopt the. Accounts for the Season 1939/40. 4: To incorporate additions and Amendments of the Rules of the Association.

5. To elect Officials and Committee for the Season 1940/41. Combined Services:-Moxham; Fitzgerald and Marina be played on the school's ground 8. To receive suggestions on

7. Any other business.



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# FURTHER QUAKE

Break Out: Rescue

GABON FALLS TO DE GAULLE

have occupied Libreville, in Bucharest itself. the last port in Equatorial Africa which remained loyal to Vichy.

The Free French forces are thus in control of Gabon, according to military despatches from broke out. Leopoldville, in the Belgian Congo.

It is understood that the Vichy be stopped. less resistance. — International ber of casualties or damage. News Service.

## C. O. Surrenders

The headquarters of the Free French forces have issued the following communique: garrison of Libreville has ac- Moscow radio yesterday re- sixth member of the crew was cepted the conditions of the ported feeling the "strongest shock killed. Commanding Officer Free French ever recorded," although no serforces, for a cessation of hostili- lous damage was done and there garrison has surrendered him- were particularly severe in South

The warships, Savorgnan de Brazza and the Commandant Dokine, of the Free French Navy. have entered Libreville harbour. The capital of Gabon becomes henceforward a part of the Free French Empire.—British Wireless.

## RELIEF FUND FOR MALTA

The Malta Relief Fund has received £1,000 from Maltese communities in Egypt, bringing the birthday anniversary of the late total subscribed by these people Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Father of the so far to £2,000. - Reuter.

# Galatz, The Oil Port Suffers Severely

FURTHER EARTHQUAKE tremors were General de Gaulle's felt in Rumania yesterday. Only slight damforces are reported to age as a result of the fresh tremors is reported

> While rescue workers were busy on the debris of a new block of flats: however, oil tanks in the basement exploded and fires

A number of rescue workers were killed and work had to

Government cabled the colonial It is still not possible to form authorities in Gabon to cease use- and clear idea of the total num-

One Bucharest report says that casualty- figures are coming in restored.

ties. The officer commanding the were no casualties. The tremors

Russian cities like Odessa. Damage and casualties are reported from a number of points in Bessarabia and the Ukaine, ---Reuter.

## DR. SUN YAT-SEN'S BIRTHDAY

and universities in Hong Kong ceed that of the Caproni 135, closed to-day and a representative meeting of Chinese bodies was held in the King's Theatre at 9 a.m. to commemorate the Chinese Republic.

## ITALIANS IN DOG-FIGHT OVER THAMES ESTUARY

(Continued from Page 1)

from village after village as land, crashed on a rifle range communications are gradually many miles away, at Woodbridge, Suffolk. Five members of the 'The oil and grain port of Galatz crew were taken prisoner, two of "The has also suffered heavy damage, them with serious injuries.

> . This formation which is believed to be the first exclusively Italian formation to raid Britain is understood, adds Reuter's air :correspondent, to have consisted. of twin-engined - Caproni-135, bombers and Fiat CR 42 fighters:

## Easy Weat

The fighter escort was just able. to keep up with the bombers it was accompanying, for the maximum speed of the CR 42 is about All Chinese schools, colleges 273 ni.p.h.—which does not ex-

> It is small wonder that the entire formation was easy meat for the much faster Hurricanes.

Before noon, the Germans had sent over three large formations of fighter-bombers over the Channel and they were met by and dispersed by - the R.A.F.'s: reinforced fighter, patrols.—Reu-

# First Real Proof

The first real proof that Italian aircraft have been taking part in the attacks on Britain was provided yesterday.

Hurricanes shot down eight Italian machines — five bombers and three fighters - which were trying, to raid shipping in the

Thames, Estuary. The Italians for some time have been-claiming that their machines were sharing in the attacks around Britain, but so far they have not succeeded in dropping bombs on Britain's soil by daylight.

Up to early, in the afternoon, 13. German planes had also

been shot down. Two were shot down over the sea, and the rest were brought down, when they tried to get through to London; which between dawn and yesterday afternoon had five "alerts."

. In the first raid, over: 100 "'German: planes took parti / ... After crossing the south coast, however, they were met by Spitfires and Hurricanes and split up

into small-formations. Forty of them got to the outskirts of London but only four actually reached the city.

Later in the morning there was another attack, but the raiders were met with an intensive A.A. barrage and changed course almost immediately. ---- Reuter:

# Stoutly Engaged

German | aircraft | which | attempted to attack a convoy off the north coast of Kent were stoutly engaged by R.A.F. fighters L. and driven off.

Bombs were dropped at several. places in South-East-England and a low points in the London area. Damage was done to houses and d few casualties are reported. -British Wireless.

# No R.A.F. Loss

The Italian aircraft which attacked a British convoy to-day numbered from 15 to 20 bombers and about 60 escorting fighters. In shooting down 13, the R.A.F. suffered no loss,—British-Wireless,

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Workers Killed

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA: MAIL") It is now estimated that at least three thousand have been killed in Bucharest alone by the earthquakes. The total deathroll in Rumania cannot yet be computed .- International News Service.

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Tidal Waves Sweep Across Black Sea: More Dead

# P944444444 AIR FORCE "GREETING" TO MOLOTOV

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL") It is revealed that in the record flight of over two thousand miles which British bomber flights carried out to attack the rail junctions at Danzig, the most heavily bombed section of the line was that over which M. Molotov should have passed to-day on his way to Berlin. — International News Service.

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# Oilfield Crippled CHINESE But Not Destroyed HERO IN

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

IN CONSTANT DREAD OF FRESH TREMORS, TWICE-STRICKEN RUMANIA IS BATTLING FIRES, BOLSTERING UP HUNDREDS OF TOPPLING BUILDINGS AND DIGGING THROUGH MOUNTAINS OF DEBRIS IN AN EFFORT TO KEEP THE DEATH TOLL TO A MINIMUM.

The loss of life alone is now around 3,000 BLACK persons. With 5,000 square miles from Turkey to Russia partially laid waste in Sunday's PLAGUE vast tremor, new shocks hit Rumania yesterday.

Hundreds of buildings weakened by the previous 'quakes fell, and hundreds of names were added to the list of dead.

Both Moscow and Istanbul felt the shocks and in the Black Sea po is suffering from a setidal waves caused innumerable vere epidemic of black ships to send out distress signals.

In the Rumanian oil fields: whole\_villages\_have\_been\_demolished, derricks toppled and large fires started.

The oil industry is badly crip- pearance. pled but is reported to be by no means destroyed.

### Three Thousand Dead (SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

It is now estimated that at least three thousand have

been killed in Bucharest alone by the earthquakes. The total deathroll in Rumania cannot yet be computed.—International News Service.

# Five Separate Shocks

Bucharest has now had five separate earthquake shocks, including two at three p.m. and seven p.m. yesterday.

Bucharest was last night a ghostlike city of smoking ruins after the successive shocks, and the death-roll grows steadily as rescue workers dig into the de-

More than one thousand dead ported from the sector between are reported from Ploetsi, Galtaz

> Property damage runs into hundreds of millions of dollars.

> Some buildings are being dynamited as they are in peril of collapse.

# Hotels As Hospitals

Hotels still standing have been transformed into hospitals. The Ploesti oilfields are re-

ported to be, on fire. Practically all buildings !! In Bratlanu and Briand streets in Bucharest have been razed to the ground and only swift work by the Fire Brigades provented. a widespread general con-

flagration. The railway system is still largely crippled.—International News Service.

WEATHER: FORECAST:-N. : and. N.E. winds, fresh; fine gen-

# EMPRESS OF JAPAN

The "Empress of Japan" was brought safely to port cwing to the coolness and heroism of Captain Thomas and her Chinese quartermaster.

This is disclosed now that the ship, so well known in the Far East, has arrived safely at her destination.

The only sign of the attack by According to reports the German bomber is a slightly. damaged rail, suffered when one bomb struck the rail a glancing blow, and a few lifeboats, which were hit by machine-gun bullets.

> One of the crew, describing the captain's coolness, said: "The skilful way in which he zigzagged the ship out of danger and avoided a direct hit, saved us all.

"The Chinese quartermaster at the wheel was a hero.

# Plane Hit

"Lying prone on his stomach to dodge machine-gun fire, he carried out perfectly every order from the skipper."

After one shell had burst under one of the raider's wings, the 'plane was seen to be rocking, The various Shanghai authori- and the gunners of the "Empressof Japan" are certain the raider

# ANOTHER DIVISION REPORTED

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

REFORTS FROM THE CENTRAL SECTION OF THE ALBANIAN FRONT INDICATE THAT AN IMPORTANT NEW GREEK VICTORY IS NOW ON THE HEELS OF THE ROUT OF THE ITALIAN DIVISION, WITH THE TRAPPING OF ANOTHER LARGE BODY OF TROOPS.

With reports of Italians retreating on all fronts, Albanian deserters carry tales of the horrible loss of life the Fascist armies have sustained.

# SHANGHAI BANKING

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL") RUMOURS IN SHANGHAL FINANCIAL CIRCLES DURING THE LAST TWO DAYS CON-CERNING A POSSIBLE WITH-DRAWAL FROM SHANGHAI OF THE FOUR CHINESE GOVERN-MENT BANKS AND THE ESTA-BLISHMENT OF A NEW CEN-TRAIL BANK UNDER THE CON-TROL! OF THE NANKING RE-CIME HAS CAUSED THE PRICE OF RICE! TO SOAR TO NEW HEIGHTS.

Native rice rose to \$91 a picul, while foreign rice reached a level

Although the cost of gold bars, U.S. currency and the Pound sterling have increased, these are not sufficient reasons for the climb in-prices, since large stocks of the staple products are available in Shanghair - Havas, Finds

One stream alone carried the bodies of a thousand dead Italians, these Albanians say?

The latest Greek victory is rethe Argyocastron road and the and Giurgiu. Vogiusa River.

IT IS CLAIMED THAT THE ITALIANS HAVE BEEN RE-TREATING' SO FAST THAT THE GREEKS HAD TO RE-CEIVE SUPPLIES FROM THE AIR IN ORDER TO KEEP UP WITH THEMI

After a fierce three-hour Greek attack, three Italian regiments retreated in disorder, leaving behind all their arms and other material.

# Italians On Defensive

It is understood that the Italians are hastily mining Albanian roads and bridges in order to check the expected Greek advance.

. : Another Italian column is reported to be trapped in , the Pindus . mountaine, . although neutral tources report that Italian advances or the east, finnk of the Epirus front-sines! continuing.—International News Service.

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

reaching Shanghai, Ning-

plague, which started at

the end of October, when the first case made its ap-Out of 165 cases (the total up to Monday), the death-toll had reached 61, with indications that the pestilence is spreading further

in the city, 🦪 : Ningpo is being blockaded by the Japanese Navy, and transport of passengers and goods is possible only by land.

ties are taking preventive measures against the epidemic.— d'd not get away unscathed. —



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# Caralanis Invasion Plans Regarded As Nigh Impossible

Britain<sup>5</sup>s Middle East Campalgn

(By Reuter's Military Correspondent)

STEADY PROGRESS AND CONTINUED IN-PROVEMENT IS THE THEME OF A STATE-MENT ABOUT THE MIDDLE EAST WHICH WAS ISSUED IN LONDON YESTERDAY.

It is a situation which should be regarded in retrospect "counting our many difficulties, because General Wavell has had a heavy task."

French resistance.

dle East. It spread outwards any attack. from one centre until one huge area after another, which began with stout assurances of continued resistance, slowly fell until even fateful Djibuti (where General in the coming Middle East cam-Gentilhomme, true to his name paign: and last-to hold-out)-gave way: --

to bear a considerable portion of her ability to help her friends. the common effort.

General Wavell had to reor- assist Greece. ganise his plans without French help and it is, with this in mind, that the following statement, issued yesterday, should be considered.

# Desert Attack

most impossible.

"In addition, British troops in the Italians. the Middle East have been steadily reinforced in number and equipment until to-day they form what is described about as good

British troops.

# All The Moves

The British position in the western desert has immensely improved ring the last few months. Both armament and defences are better and the men know all the stable.—Reuter. inoves in desert warfare: If the Germans are able to reinforce the Italians on this front, it will take them some time to attain proficiency in this type of fighting.

It is believed there are no Gerexcept technicians and probably advisers. The Italians are using mainly the forward area. They are not getting much material substantial reserves.

Cretc as a naval base, Italian dif- QUOTED BY REUTER. ficulties, should Libya not be reinforced, would be even greater.

# Arduous Campaign

British difficulties are not conwith manpower. cerned quality of the troops is excellent Saigon. and they have been steadily reinforced from New Zealand, Australia and India as well as from' Britain.

It is the staff's intention to maintain a stream of armoured! weapons and aeroplanes to be able to strike at the point calculated to do the enemy most damage.

many phases.

Only a few months ago, he had. As to Gibraltar's position, there. to deal with the collapse of it had been made even more powerful in the last few months. Forces there have been working That collapse, though imme-like beavers, strengthening dediate in Europe, was not so im- fences and they are confident of mediate in all parts of the Mid- being, able to successfully resisti

## Vital Points

The following are vital points

(1) At all costs, Britain must The French forces were larger retain its hold on Egypt because than the British and the Anglo- of the strategic importance of the French plans were made jointly. Suez Canal and Alexandria. The enemy must, be beaten here, be-In all theatres, they had agreed cause on British victory depends

(2) Britain must do her best to Commes

(3) At the earliest moment that resources allow, Britain will strike the enemy at the point which will do him most: injury and strike with all her power.

The Italian advance across the The liaison between the Army desert to attack Alexandria is so and RAF, in the Western Desert difficult an operation as to be al- is excellent and the Air Force has troops in the Middle East, shown a tactical superiority over

# Italians Sensitive

In East Africa, the Italians are an army as one could hope to sensitive about the Abyssinian front às their violent reaction to Where the Italians are weak is the British capture of Galabat in their tactical training, which is proves. Galabate is important as regarded as inferior to that of the an entry to Abyssinia and the Italians have used a great number of 'planes in their counter-attacks.

> Syria presents difficulties. Britain can hever allow Syria to fall into hostile hands, it, is affirmed The conditions under the existing regime appear to be fairly

VICE-ADMIRAL JEAN DEand oil into Libya but they are COUX, GOVERNOR-GENERAL believed to have accumulated OF FRENCH INDO-CHINA, RE-SIGNED YESTERDAY, ACCORD-Now, with the British using ING TO A JAPANESE REPORT

Decoux was appointed Governor-General on June 28 by the Vichy Government.

The reason for his resignation is said to be the increasing difflculties created by a strong group of pro-de Gaulle, followers - in

The Vichy Government is expected to appoint a new Govcrnor-General soon.-Reuter. powIt needs to be emphasised that this is a Japanese report.

# IN BRITISH HANDS

Galabat, the small village in Military experts in London, frontler which, according to an LONDON. however, expect the compaign in Italian communique, has been re-British Wireless.



Many feet below a mansion in the S.E. district, a night she ter, accommodating about eight familles, has now been built. Here parents and their children, get all the rest that they need for the noise of London's barrage of anti-aircraft guns cannot be heard. The shelter has been equipped with all conveniences and cooking facilities, and the residents are able to regard it almost as a home from home. Photo shows them sleeping in safety. (Copyright; Fox).

"We shall strike home for victory when the hour comes," declared Mr. Anthony Eden, Secretary of State for War, in a broadcast to British and Allied it is revealed in London.

Mr. Eden told them that the future was safe in their hands. "Yours is the quality that commands success," he declared. He continued:-

"This journey I have just completed to the Middle East command has been for me a most vivid and encouraging experience, I should like to congratulate each one of you, from General Wavel! to the most recently arrived private soldier, on the splendid efficiency and keeness displayed by all ranks.

# Unbroken Faith

"No discomfort can subdue your spirits, no hardship can weaken your resolution.

"Reinforcements" in men and material have been and are beling sent to strengthen you, still further."

their relations: and friends in London were enduring the nightly air attacks with a calm courage which had won the admiration of the world.

The same spirit inspired the forces of the Middle East and together they shared unbroken faith in the final triumph.—Reuter,

A SUPPLEMENTARY UNIT OF THE ROYAL ENGINEERS, CONSISTING OF OVER 1,800 prolonged night raids has made DOCKWORKERS .. AND ... RAIL-WAY MEN, ARE NOW AT some accommodation for the WORK REMOVING DEBRIS bables. the Sudan near the Abyssinian AND REPAIRING PIPE-LINE IN "Mothers cannot nurse them in

to leave. — Reuter.

# "ARK ROYAL" IN ACTION

AT SARUINIA

Aircraft from the "Ark Royal" delivered a bombing attack yesterday on the harbour and aerodrome of Cagliari in Sardi-

It is officially recorded only that bombs were dropped in the target area, that explosions and fires were observed. and that the Italians retaliated by attacking the Ark Royal but made no hit, caused no casualties and no damage.

Two Italian aircraft were destroyed by British fighters which suffered no losses. --Reuter:

# 000000000000000000 her." Mr. Eden told the forces that

"Gentlemen, first" is the motioof Stoke Newington authorities, who are considering equipping same months last year. air raid shelters with sleeping accommodation. An official - explained: "The

men have to work during the day, when a most women can make up for their lost sleep during the night." Bunks for babies are also to be

provided. The official continued: in necessary for us to provide

their arms all night, so we have .8խև୯ս,"-

# R.A.F. A RESTAURANT A PARTIES.

Though hampered by severe electrical storms and icing conditions, aircraft of the Bomber Command carried out extensive operations last night.

They included oil plants at Gelsenkirchen, the Ruhr and Bremen, factories at Essen, (Krupps) Mannheim, Amsterdam (Folkker), and Dresden, the docks and shipping at Kiel and Duisberg, and at the seaports, Lorient, Cherbourg. Le Havre, Dunkirk and Flushing, railway junctions, at Danzig, Dessau, Munster, Mannheim and Dresden and also 14 aerodromes in Germany and enemy-occupied territory.

During daylight operations yesterday, shipping was attacked in the harbours of Boulogne and Calais. F.ve of our aircraft are missing.—British Wireless.

# RICE SAVING

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA" MAIL"

THE JAPANESE RICE SAVING CAMPAIGN HAS MET WITH CONSIDERABLE SUCCESSI SAYS THE TOKYO PAPER "YOMIURI."

Average consumption during the past few months has been 5,000 "koku" less daily than during the

Tokyo prefecture accounts daily for one-tenth of the total consumption of rice in Japan... 🔩

The succession the campaign. was helped by foreign rice being found unpleasant, as well. as by the consumption of soya bean and sweet potatoes, the fire

Between April and Octobers 1940, says the "Yomiuri," the monthly consumption of rice ranged from 429,912 to 499,307 "koku," while the average in 1934 was 631,136.

Daily consumption int. Tokyo The unit was formed in 1938 and devised a sort of nest where the during these last months has been the Middle East to be an arduous eccupied by Italian troops, is, in has the distinction of being the babies will sleep in tiers and they 16,189 "koku,"... while it reached and a hard fought struggle of fact, still in British hands. — first to land in France and the last will not take up much floor 21,406 in the same period last year. — Havas.

# NAZS PUTING ON A SHOW

Little Political Result Likely In Molotov Visit

Striving For Pool As Berween U.S. Britain

(By Reuter's Diplomatic Correspondent) IT IS CONSIDERED unlikely that there will be any dramatic political developments: from M. Molotov's visit to Berlin.

Nevertheless, the Germans are obviously anxious to suggest certain possibilities, as is evident from their reference to the presence: of Herr von Papen, Nazi Ambassador to Turkey.

Thor: German propaganda machine is doing its best to build up a circumstantial case.

Ribbentrop, is going to the frontier to meet M. Molotov and Berlin will doubtless put on its most festive garb, so far as this is permitted by the Royal Air Force.

The fact, that M. Molotov is accompanied by thirty-two experts, tells, its own story of the course the negotiations are. likely to pursue. There are exports in trade, metallurgy, agriculture - in a word, all the raw materials that Russia produces, as well as specialists in aircraft production.

Germany is obviously trying to stage a demonstration whereby an attempt would be made for Russian resources to be pooled, something on the lines of Britain's arrangement with the United States,

# Russian Policy

But both Kalinin and Timoshenko have just made speeches in which they have emphasised Russia's determination to be strong and neutral. It would be surprising if Russia suddenly. furned her back on this policy.

The governing factor in her recent policy has been consideration for her own interests. She is determined to keep out of the war and will doubtless do everything to preserve her neutrality. - Reuter.

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Mannheim, 'Essan' and Gelsencirchen also came, in for "treatnent:"

Mannheim is the lown where he famous Krupp works are itunted; and was subjected; to: a -hour -rold an few nights, ago, vhile "Gelsenkirchen's 'oil plants: alve-been grandeu-joyed Sol, imes. Reuter

# £1,000 000 IN ADVANCE

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# ARABS TO FIGHT FOR EGYPT

lesert met in Cairo yesterday and or a deportation order. ... Mrs. Tobias, of St. Joan's Court, muter,...

Italian: troops: in the western Ionian coastal Athens to be fleeing in a disorderly retreat.

They were hurled back in confusion, after Greek troops defending the Janina; region crushingly dafeated two Fascist units,

Two mechanised - battalions : are reported to have been completsly routed in a bloody battle. which took place just south of /er.-Internation-

al News Service.

# CABARET GIRLS DANCE FOR

For five hours yesterday -- from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. -one hundred and eight cabaret girls danced for Ghinass soldiers.

The scene was the Capital Ballroom at West, Point, where all the taxi-dancers turned#out#as#"volunteer!! dancers, contributing their entire earnings, for, those five hours to that "Chinese Soldlers! Warm: Clothing, Fund!! organised under the auspices of the Reuter. Hong: Kong. Chinese. Women's Club, and held under the Chairmanship of Madama, Wul Tg. Chen. wife of the Minister of Overseas. Affairs. 💛

"Some \$2,000; was raised, in - the course of the evening and to this sum was added prize of \$100 donated by Min Kwok Chun-shing, Director of the Chun Shing Commercial Academy, to the girl who obtained the highest number of dance-tickets.

Ninosmonths, hard, labour was imposed by Mr. G. Ti Lowry this morning, on a Chinese October 23) banishee for stealing, a water Dr. E. W. Kirk, of Shell House, ig tribes in the Nile vallay and Mr. A. I. Ribeiro, and for breach sion.

was used as a radio aerial math Street car parker

# CRUSSES

M. Molotov, who is due in Berlin this morning, arrived in German territory at Molkinia last evening, accompanied by the German Ambassador to Moscow, Baron von Schulenburg, according to D.N.B.

He was received by the People's ! Protocol, Doernberg, and the Chief of Siaff, of the Fuehrer's Deputy, SS. Leader Stenger.

M. Molotov will be met at the station in Berlin to-day by Ribbentrop, says the report.

According to the Berlin correspondent of the "Basler Nachrichten," Ribbentrop has gone to Koenigsberg to meet Molotov. -

British 'planes operating from Greek air fields have again bombed embarkation points in Ital and Albania and have joined the Greek 'planes in attacking supply trains and troops behind the enemy front line, says a message from Athens.

Greece has had two days, respite from air raids, but a small village on the island of Crete was bombed on Sunday. No material .damage -was : done.

In the few days since, British forces arrived in Crotefult has become: a strongly defended icland and British guns manned by voteran troops are guarding the steep hills."

Yesterday morning, an Italian bomber was shot down near Kandia, Crete's main city.

This is the first enemy muchine.

.Sgt:: H. W. Gr Way, of the Royal Army Ordnance Dapot, was summoned before Mr. H. G. Sheldon, K.G., this morning, for allowing. uni unlicenced. driver, to drive a motor vehicle in King's Roadaon October 23. As fine of \$10 was imposed,

Mr. Wallaco . Harper was fined \$15 for driving without a valid; licence in Arsonal Street on

plpe from the roof of No. 43, was cautioned for driving in Fifty Arab chieftuins represent- Robinson Road; the property of Cochrane Street, without permis-

apressed their determination to Defendant was seen leaving the Macdonnell Roading was fined \$101 ght in the defence of Egypt. - roof with the water-pipe, which for parking a overtime in Pedder



British shippard workers are working day and night tuilda: ing ships specially designed for wartime conditions, and any ever increasing number of special-type merchant ships arebeing launched without ceremony. Now, when all is ready and the last blocks are knocked away, a whistle is ablown; and axe-falls on accord and the shippelides down the slipway into the water, watched only by a handful of men necessary for the successful launching. Directly, the ship, is safely launched, the clipway is prepared for the next ship to take its place. Photo shows three shippard workers: giving a cheer, as the "Empire Voice", another addition to Britain's merchant fleat, is about to take the water on her launch. (Copyright, Fox).;



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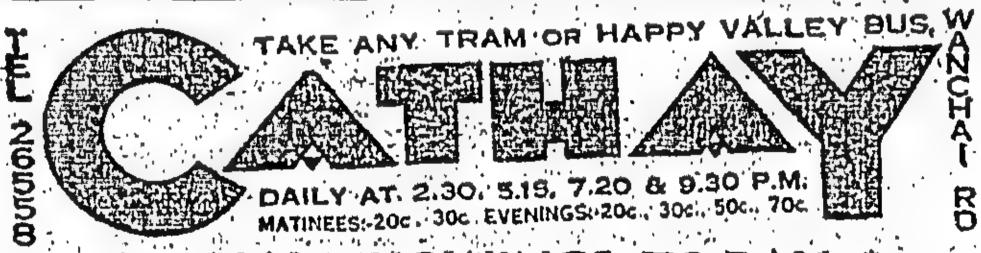


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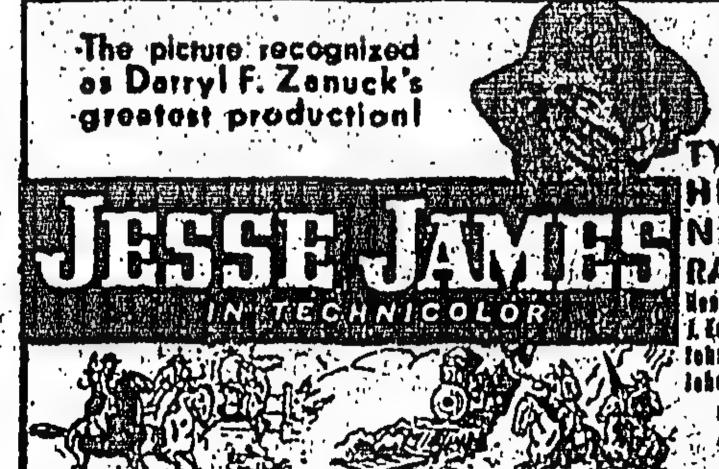
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OF THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER IN ARLINGTON CEMETERY IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY.

He expressed faith that democracy, in spite of all, would survive.

"I, for one, do not believe that the world will revert to a modern form of ancient slavery, or to controls vested in modern feudalism or modern empires for modern dictators or modern oligarchies in these days.

"People under their iron heels will themselves rebel," said President Roosevelt.

In what was his first public speech since his re-election, President Roosevelt denounced "unpatriotic efforts" which he said had been made by some Americans since the Great War "to make us believe that the sacrifices made by our nation were made wholly in vain."

In 1914, a definite effort was made in part of the world to destroy democracy. That effort was designed to substitute the doctrine that might makes right.

## Democracy Preserved

"The attempt failed 22 years from now, historians will say rightly that the Great War preserved the new order of the ages for at least a whole generation.

They would say that if the Axis of 1918 had been successful in a military victory over the associated nations, resistance on behalf of democracy in 1940 would have been wholly impossible," said the President.

America was, therefore, proud of its share in maintaining the era of democracy in that war, in which they took part: "

# Needs Of To-day

To-day "we recognise certain facts of 1940 which did not exist in 1918—the need for the elimination of aggressive armaments; the need for the breaking down of barriers in a more closely knit world, the need for restoring honour in the written and spoken word.

"We recognise that the processes of the democracies must be greatly improved in order that we may attain those purposes."-Reu-

# PILFERING IN WINDSOR HOUSE

Chung Fu, 22, was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour by Mr. G: T. Lowry this morning, for stealing window catches from various floors of Windsor House.

Det. Sergeant J. R. Sykes said defendant was seen in Windsor House yesterday with three window catches in his possession. Questioned, he admitted stealing. window catches from the building on previous days. 👈

Following, is the latest list of subscriptions received for credit of the British. War. Organisation Fund, Hong Kong Branch:

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Thirty-lour cases of tuberculosis, four cases of cholera, six of dysentery, two of typhoid and one each of diptheria, incastes and chicken-pox, were motified during the week-end.

# PARLIAMENT DAMAGED

It is now revealed that a highexplosive bomb fell on the forecourt of the Houses of Parliament between the public entrance and I can't do that. If I make an orthe peers' entrance in a recent air

It blew in hundreds of leaded windows and smashed a 30ft. window at one end of Westminster Hall, and also part of the massive stone framing.

side of the House of Lords' debating chamber were blown out of Parliament, but the thrones were not scratched, although the surrounding carpets and walls were damaged.

More glass was broken in the lobbies and cloak-rooms of the House of Commons. Flying splinters caused three "wounds" on the western face of Big Ben, but "Big Ben Time" still shows on all four sides.

officials suffered minor cuts.

# FRANCOL

ERNEST BASIL SCHOPLELD DESCRIBED AS A SEAMAN-GUNNER OF THE R.F.A. "FRANCOL" WAS-ORDERED TO RETURN TO HIS SHIP BY COM-MANDER J. JOLLY, DEPUTY HARBOUR MASTER, IN THE MARINE COURT THIS MORN-

Schofield was alleged to have absented himself since: October 30. He pleaded guilty.

The master of the "Francol," Captain C. J. Leach, stated that defendant was appointed by the naval authorities for gunnery duty on board the vessel; The authorities were consulted and his instructions were that defendant was to be charged in a civil court and treated as an ordinary mer-

chant seaman, "Commander J. Jolly: "You don't refuse to return to your ship, do

Defendant: "As a matter of fact" wish to be discharged."

Commander Jolly, "I'm afraid der for you to return to the ship will you do so?"--"Yes, sir."

# GANGSTER Stained-glass windows on one

PRETENDING and, doors were torn from their SEARCHING FOR OPIUM IN A hinges. Glass and metal rained HOUSE IN SHANGHAI STREET, down on the golden thrones used TWO MEN HELD UP THE by their Majesties for the opening INMATES AND TOOK AWAY \$200 FROM ONE OF THEM ON FRIDAY NIGHT. They ran but were chased and

caught in Waterloo Road. They adopled a new ruse by shouting for help and attracted pedestrians, who went to their "rescue" thinking that the thieves were being at acked.

One of the men, Lo Chiu. 30, however, was arrested on Sunday... He was remanded for 48 Lord Lawrence and several hours by Mr. Q. A. A. Maciadyen at Kowloon this morning.



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him she made a wild decision that ended in a crash & 

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# HISTORY OF FRANCE

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

THAT M. LEBRUN, former President of the Rewas caused in Shanghai public of France; Mr. Jeanney, former President of yesterday by a full-page the Senate; and M. Herriot, former President of the advertisement appearing Chamber of Deputies had decided to leave the counin an evening paper and try before the Armistice and participate in the essigned "Elly" Widler, well- tablishment of a French Government overseas is known Shanghai charac- alleged in a book just written by M. Jean Montigny ter, appealing for support entitled "All the Truth About the Dramatic Month

The book throws interesting Bordeaux on June 15, he says. light on events which happened At that time the military between June 15 and July 15. situation was desperate, and for

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whose welfare is your welfare. Flung open to trade, the city Already some are being torn away would be safe-guarded from at--'evacuated' under governmental tacks from any side. The Powers pressure. As time goes on many would guarantee this, for in this more will be uprooted for the way they would guarantee their Powers see a crisis rising in the own interests. All armies would Pacific and are abandoning the be withdrawn to a radius of 50 city to the fortunes of war. It is miles. Inside this new frontier, your city they are abandoning. Shanghai would grow with no Why should they? . . . . This is obstacle to stop growth." — Reu-

The Government arrived at several days General Weygand insisted that the Council of Ministers should "draw the consequences therefrom."

Despité General Weygand's insistence, M. Reynaud and M. Mandel decided to establish a Government overseas and "leave the whole of France invaded." On June 16, finding that many members of the Cabinet no longer supported him, M. Reynaud handed his resignation to M.

#### Petain's Attitude.

Marshal Petain formed Government and expressed his determination to ask for an armistice. Despite Petain's decision, M. Lebrun, M. Jeanney and M. Herriot exerted until the very last minute considerable pressure on Marshal Petain, stressing -that---both--the-President---of the Republic and Parliament

should leave. On June 18, M. Lebrun, formally confirmed to Marshal Petain his intention to leave France the following morning, whereupon the Marshal replied:-"I am determined to stay

whatever happens." M. Raphael Alibent, who has since become Minister of Justice, then exerted all his efforts to postpone at least M. Lebrun's departure.

At the same time, Laval exerted personal pressure on many M.P.s, "trying to convince them their duty was to share the population's fate."—Havas.

A SMALL OIL-DUMP CAUGHT FIRE THIS MORNING IN MURRAY BARRACKS, BE-HIND THE DETENTION PRI-SON, AND MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL SCOTS, WITH FIXED BAYONETS, THREW A COR-DON AROUND THE ENTIRE AREA.

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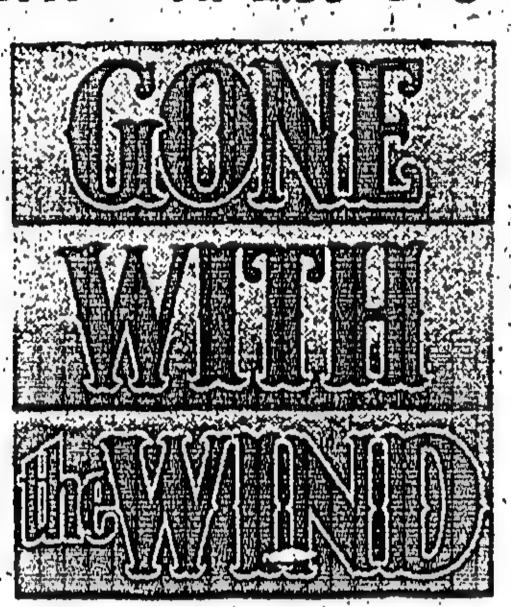
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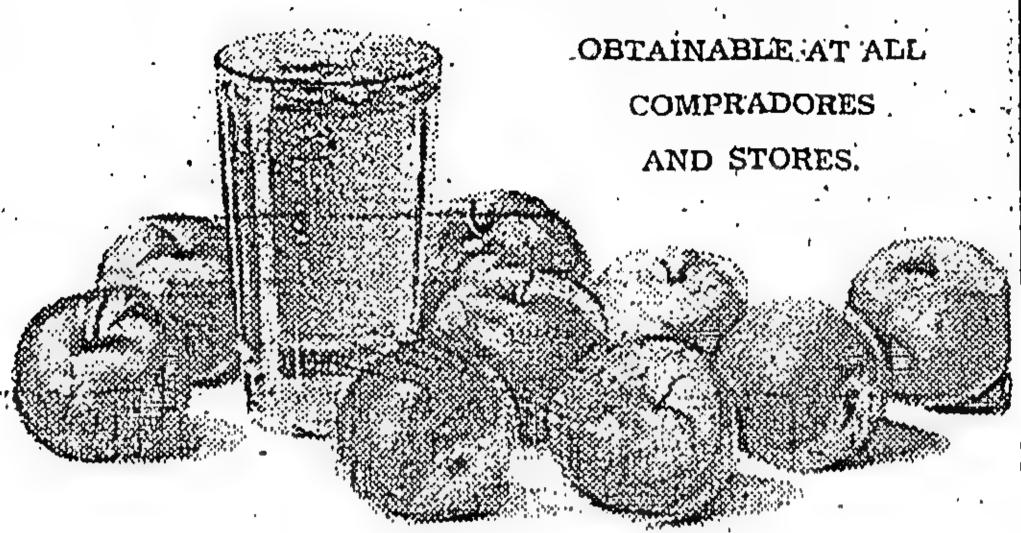
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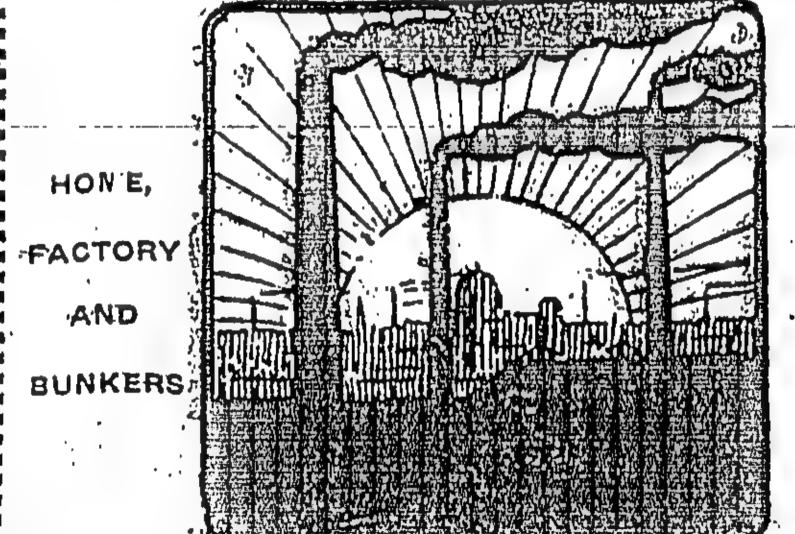
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# INDUSTRIES WEGLIGIBLE

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA 'MAIL")

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The Free French forces are

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ing to military despatches from

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Government cabled the colonial

authorities in Gabon to cease use-

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Dokine, of the Free French Navy,

following communique:

loyal to Vichy.

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# AMERICAN

THIS IS THE FIRST of a series of cables by Miss Helen Kirkpatrick, of the London staff of the Chicago "Daily News," to her paper describing the effects of the German bombing blitzkrieg on the industrial and shipping centres of England....

Industrial England, which took the brunt of the Nazi bombing attacks many weeks before the blitzkrieg on London began, is virtually untouched.

Its factories, the majority of which are converted to wartime! production, are turning out essentainly makes a quick Nazi victory impossible and any kind of German victory pretty uncertain.

over the world and ships unload over the world and ships unload thousands of tons of food and war materials daily, despite persistent German attempts to disrupt this vital work.

I spent six days 'touring the most important industrial centres, inspecting war factories and visiting damaged areas. Full and confidential reports of all damage done were available in every forces are reported to place I visited, and, while it is impossible to make these public, have occupied Libreville, it can be stated that air raids have not so far impaired the Bri- the last port in Equatorial tish war effort to any marked extent.

#### Effect On Production

While nightly alarms and sporadic day raids have affected production, it has fallen off only by a slight amount, and there is confidence throughout the industrial area that this is only temporary. Once roof spotting systems are fully working production is expected to be maintained.

While the morale of Londoners has been the object of great admiration, that of industrial England is fully equal, and in many cases far surpasses London's, And unquestionably a good deal of the Midlands and the North of England is far 'tougher than anything that can be found in London.

#### "Tougher --- Angrier"

The effect of the raids so far has been to infuriate the popunorth youngo the tougher and self. angrier they get.....

The North is pretty adamant on the subject of the war. If heard it once I heard it tentimes in different forms: "We finished the last war too soon. The mistake we made was in not marching to Berlin. This time we are not stopping until-we have beaten the Germans and know they knów it."

#### Peaceful Countryside

Driving hundreds of miles northward from London it was difficult to realise that not only is there a warron, but that big cities of this country are being pounded nightly with high explosives and incendiary bombs.

The countryside presents the most peaceful aspect imaginable; and only the presence of soldiers along roads which are punctuated with tank traps recalls that a battle is going ion. Again, going into big industrial cities it is difficultate find any trace of damage, and it is necessary to know where to look for it.

As in the case of London most. of the damage had been done in the residential area, and most of that to workers' houses on the fringe of factories.

The organisation of civilian defences and first aid services seems excellent, and the only criticism that could be made is that the construction of shelters is much too far bohind.

..There has been damage to factories, in some/cases/serious, but. the number of factories demolished or badly hit is so small as to make no appreciable difference to national production. This is mainly due to vast-decentralisa-

Vital war supplies such me iniachine stools, incroplanes, gung and ammunition are being produced in so many different factories, each with imany submidiary plants to call on, that the destruction of any core of them cannot cripple production.

Many areas of industrial England are more prosperous ithan they have been for years and unemployment whas shrunk . To the owest figure for 23 years.

### THAT WAS YOUR SON"

An R.A.F. pilot, who, after an exploit one-Sunday, -was shot down and had to bale out, wrote home a few hours later a note of four sentences in place of his usual eight-page letter. His note ran:

"My dear Mother and Father,—Just a line, since I have not much time for writing, to tell you that, the old firm is still merry and bright. They seem to have made quite a show on the six o'clock wireless news to-night. Did you hear the long description of the Hurricane and the two Dorniers over Buckingham Palace and Victoria Station? That was your everloving son."

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### PRESSURE ON HUSSIAN LAWYERS

The headquarters of the Free (SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

French forces have issued the "The Henceforth, all White Russian garrison of Libreville has ac- lawyers in Shanghai will have to cepted the conditions of the register with the "City Govern-Commanding Officer Free French ment of Greater Shanghai" unforces, for a cessation of hostili- der the Nanking regime's control. lation as a whole and workers ties. The officer commanding the . Some of the lawyers hold cerin-particular. And the farther garrison has surrendered him- tificates issued by Chungking, and these will have to be changed for certificates issued by The warships, Savorgnan de Nanking.-Havas.

> have entered Libreville harbour. A Chinese cylist was knocked The capital of Gabon becomes down and fatally injured by a henceforward a part of the Free motor-bus in Shataukok yester-French Empire.—British Wireless: day afternoon.



...... The 'Nazial falled to find the 'Nightingale when they bombad . Borkeloy: Square "and "they "also "missed an owl" (bluffed) "that is resident there. (Copyright, Fox).

It has become a commonplace to say that a world revolution is in progress. But those who will look beneath surface appearances may glimpse something bigger than of political systems. the United States and other countries are daily interpreted by the literalminded as milestones in nant, as it is over Japan's conthe progress or retarda-tion of Fascism, totalitar- By William Henry ianism, liberalism, New Dealism and other types in the "Christian Science Monitor" of national or international movements designed to restrict or liberate men. But the victories of armies, the acts siderations that may restrain Jaof legislatures and the into war, even though recent deeds of dictators, princes and presidents are, view- closer. In the first place, Japan ed in true perspective, simply the bubbles boiling that has been going on for more at the top of the cauldron.

To recognise that this is so, to grasp the real significance of what is going on in the world to-day, is vitally necessary both for lay observers and for those charged with the guidance has felt obliged to institute an of men and nations.

For the true world re-surreptitious volution is that going on prices. in the human consciousness. Deep down in the hearts and thoughts of men the revolt against limitation in every aspect is far from being in the state and against materialism Never before war. persists. have the agencies both to encourage and to suppress Japan throw all its forces into a it been so active. Like a river running to its destined sea, rising from an endlessly flowing spring, the aspiration of mankind toward higher standards of conduct and achievement wells forth continuously despite all efforts of the obstructionists

channeled into the nar-American conflict, even row bed of nationalism, amount of help which America seeks continuously to can send to Great Britain. break the barriers of its shrewd diplomatic bargainers and confinement within out-there seems reason to believe worn concepts of creed and class. In some countries leaders of popular yield to Japan's demands in re- kept guessing." thought, hoping to capitalise on this instinct for of pressure on Moscow. enlightenment and enrichment of though't since the beginning of the Euro- that does not come from Britain. With the main battle raging over among the masses of men, pean war is another factor for This is no box-office war. For the Britain, everybody and every lohave attempted to prevent policy. America has been Japan's -it is urgent and real. It involves in "the front-line trenches." To its expression to selfish manifestations. In their blindness and hardness of heart they do not see, as Woodrow Wilson once poses new sanctions and restraints work of destruction. pointed out, that there is a spiritual tide running pact, should go the whole limit the more the enemy stands to ters something of the direction or raids to be spread abroad more through the affairs of men, which will not be downed.

that the idea of the feat.

### Japan's Hour Of The hour or final decision in |-Decision Japan's relations with America

and Great Britain has been brought much closer by the rapid sequence of recent events: the Japanese invasion of Indo-China, the American embargo on exports of scrap iron and scrap. steel, the Japanese entrance into Trirtual military alliance with Germany and Italy, ' '. . .

Yet Oriental crises can drag on for a long time especially when neither side wishes to fight. And this is certainly the wars and the overturning position as regards Japan, the United States and Great Britain to-day, Great Britain, with its Events in Germany, Great chergy absorbed by the nir strug-Britain, occupied France, gle over its own territory and the actual and threatened Axis chensives in the Mediterrancan area, certainly has no desire to force a showdown in the Far East, The United States, indig-

# Chamberlin

ristent record of aggression, does not wish to send the American Navy to fight a war in distant

And there are several conban from taking the final plunge developments have certainly brought the threat of conflict is now really beginning to feel the strain of the war in China than three years with little prospect of an early decision.

Sugar has been put on a meager ration of less than a pound a montin. There is a shortage of dairy products and people are urged to be economical with rice, the staple food of the country. The substitute fiber which is used in the manufacture of clothing wears out quickly and tails to wash. The Government claborate system of price-fixing, with the usual result: vanishing of goods from the market and

All this does not mean that Japan is on the verge of revolution or collapse. It does indicate, however, that the Island Enpire has used up a considerable part of its reserve resources and of freshness in which a government\_is\_willing\_to\_risk\_a\_major.

Another possible restraining factor is the Soviet Union. Could programme of unlimited southward expansion without being guaranteed as to its northern front in Manchukuo and Korea against a Soviet attack?

The terms of the German-

Japanese-Italian :pact "have : aroused comment and speculation because Japan seems to have given much more than it has received. Germany and Italy could not help Japan in a naval war with England and America. On the other hand Japan's ruisance By John Allan May "greatest raid of all time" turned value to Germany and Italy very considerable. With the third llargest navy in the world, it could keep the American Navy Its collective expression, in the Pacific. A Japanesethreat of a conflict, reduces the

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the Dutch East Indies.

the "Japan Times," Japanese-own- Japan the incalculable risks by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, state socialism.

of decision in the Pacific area published a project for an alli-would have struck. Japan would ance of Japan, Great Britain, then only have the alternatives and the United States. The alliof submission or of an offensive ance was to be based on equality against the regions of southeas- of economic opportunity for all tern Asia, such as Malaya and participants, respect for the territorial integrity of colonies and Even now many Japanese in protectorates and recognition of business and diplomatic circles Japan's predominant position in hope that these desperate reme- China. Its publication reflects dies may be avoided. On the the survival of hope in some very eye of the signature of Japanese quarters that a new the pact with the Axis Powers, agreed settlement may spare ed rewspaper, which is subsidised war and the rigors of a military

#### Expecting Appeasement



# Sense & Censorship

apparently irreconcilable outlooks plification apparatus of the Geris constantly up for consideration man propaganda ministry gave between the world's press and the world a running commentary the military authorities. It is a upon the battle and, unchecked problem which is being solved by any counterblast of truth, only by a slow process involving blared forth "news" of the demany inutual readjustments of struction of great portions of the values.

then a growing realisation on the part of all here that, although secrecy is still essential regarding actual military operations, freedom of the press to print the news is also essential to the success of Britain's cause—a trend thought strengthened by lessons until nine hours had elapsed. drawn from the collapse of an over-secretive France—has led to that they obtained a quid pro a revision of the terms of the pro- those who gave them their inquo for their help to the Axis. blem. These can now best be structions, were in the wrong, can only be established over the Part of this quid pro quo was stated thus: "The public must be German pressure on France to told the facts; the enemy must be

gard to Indo-China. Another part | An understanding of the actualmay well be a German promise ity and significance of this problem is a necessary basis for as-Japanese economic dependence sessing the news that comes from on America which has increased Britain in these days and the news relative moderation in Japanese people of Britain—and in Britain cality here must be considered as best customer (apart from Man- their homes, their families, their fallow messages from the line to chukuo): and its chief source of lives. It is understandable that be flashed abroad—and consethere should be a determination quently to the enemy—telling or The authorities went too far, as not to let listening German ears hinting at the progress of any at- it turned out, and in the sharp Of course this dependence hear one word that might give tack while it was happening would verbal clash that followed, they

The problem of reconciling two ly at London. The sound-amcity and the total defeat of Lon-"The essence of successful war- don's aerial defenders. The fare is secrecy; the essence of whole of that day no word came successful journalism is public- out of London to tell the freal ity." Thus badly did the British facts, to relate the epic story of War Office state the problem at an R.A.F. victory almost without the outset of hostilities. Since parallel, to speak of the calm bravery of suburban dwellers who suffered severely when the into a sporadic and militarily insignificant attack upon a handful of residential areas. There was no word out of London to speak of these things, not because no word was written, but because the censors held up every mesof sage and did not allow any to go

Afterwards there was general agreement that the censors, or that a glorious opportunity been missed by an unbalancing of the carefully-weighted secrecypublicity scales.

But the censors had a caseand a strong case—which is worth consideration. This was it:

10 ... the 100 penetrating power, or dispersal fully.
of various spear-heads of the The significant factor which A case illustrating the clash of attack while there was still time comerges is not: just the power the two opposing outlooks is that for reinforcements to be sent, it that the censors have on the press which arose at the climax of the imight actually be extremely dan- but the power the press and pubfirst great; air; battle that raged gerous. Since there was no tell- lie also have over the censors. for a week over Southern Britain, ling how long the succession of Proper preservation of a balance On Friday, August 16, the mighty raids (forming the single plan of of power is essential to making German air force struck suddon- attack) might last or what the truth stronger than fiction.

If a new order under the leadership of Germany is to be established in Europe it is well for us to consider what shape it is to take, at least in its outline. For such an enquiry there is ample material in the writings and specches-of Hitler, in the practice of the German Armies and German governors and in the changes in such countries as Switzerland, which have been forced to adapt themselves to German orders.

The nature of the political and social structure is unmistakeable. At its head, will be a German bligarchy, an elite with despotic powers, Like all oligarchies, it will be unstable and uncertain. It will therefore be protected by a sceret police and will depend on a crowd of informers.

Below the oligarchy will be the German people, the chosen race to which all other peoples, including the Italians, will be subservient.

These people will have special privileges, political, social and economic, but they will have no voice in the government of their country.

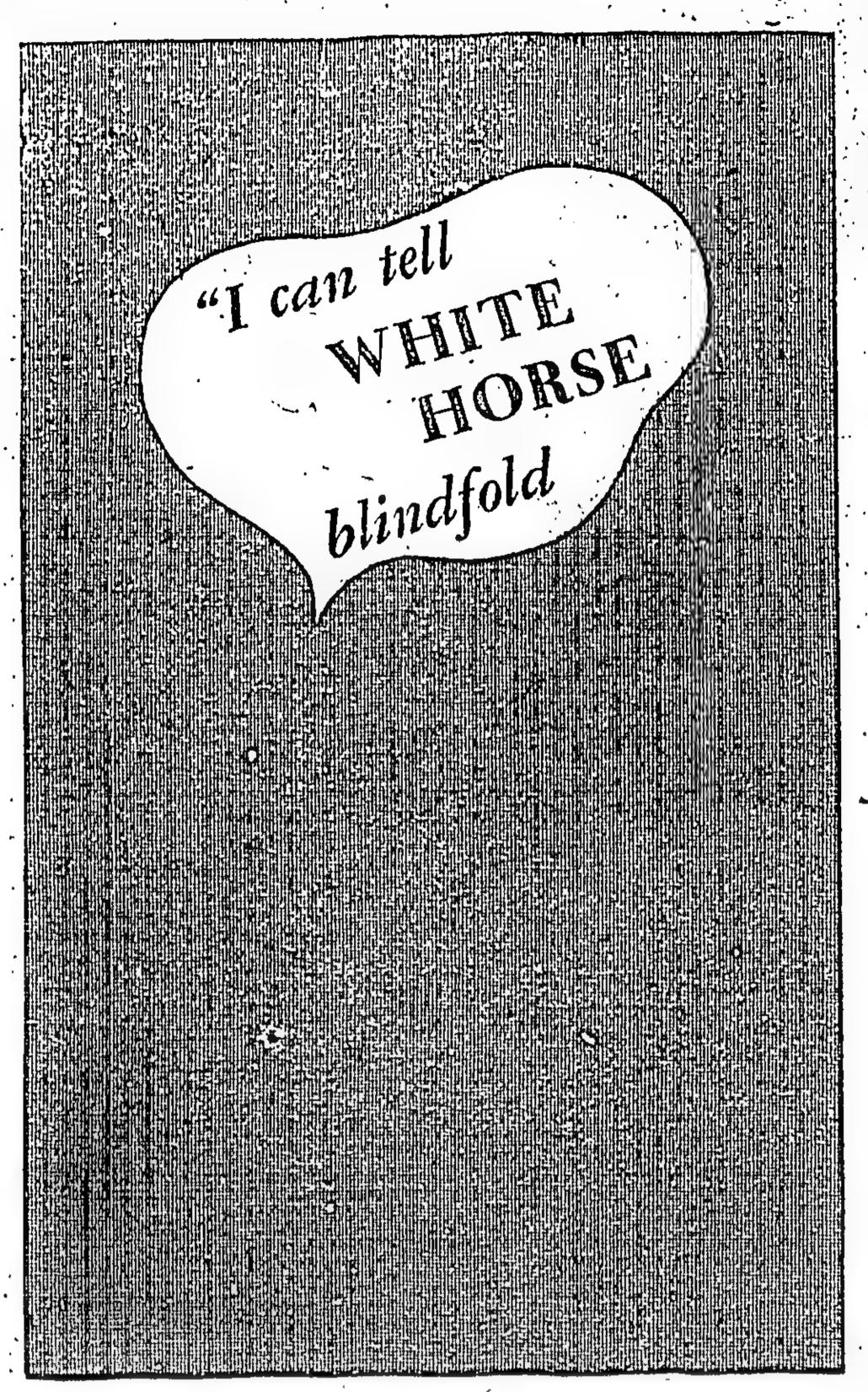
Below the chosen people will be the helots, the British, the French and the Italians, whose existence will be tolerated only so far as they serve the interests of Germany. Beyond these there will be the Colonials, among whom are to be included Negroes, Jews and Russians. These people will correspond to the untouchables and will have no rights in this world or the next, which will of course be controlled by Germans.

The political structure then will have four layers, the social structure will have three. The German will walk on the pavenient, the Englishman, the Frenchman, the Italian will walk in the gutter. The Colonial, the Negro, the Russian and other races, that thecording to German reckoning, make up the scum of the earth, will be allowed to crawl on their bellies,

The nature of the economic structure appears from the dealings of Germany with Russia, with Rumania, with France, with the conquered countries such as Holland and Belgium and with countries such as Switzerland which—have—thought—themselves too weak to resist. German or-

There are certain industries, chemical, electrical, and steel, at which Germans are especially apt. Other countries will manufacture such goods and grow such products as Germans need and no others. From the specifically German industries they will be debarred: Berlin will be the clearing house of the rest of the world, and the value of the German mark in relation to the currency of other countries will be varied so that German merchants will make a profit in all their dealings. Workmen will have food and clothing, but they will have no independence and no They will be protected and nourished, not as individuals but because their work is necessary to the policy of the State. Any order might be tolerable if its administrators had a regard for their fellow-men. But this n order will be administered by men to whom mercy, compassion, justice and truth are abhorrent. It graves of freedom-loving people, it can last so long as the human race has lost all the gains of the last two thousand years and only so long as it remains without its strength, its virtue and its selfrespect.

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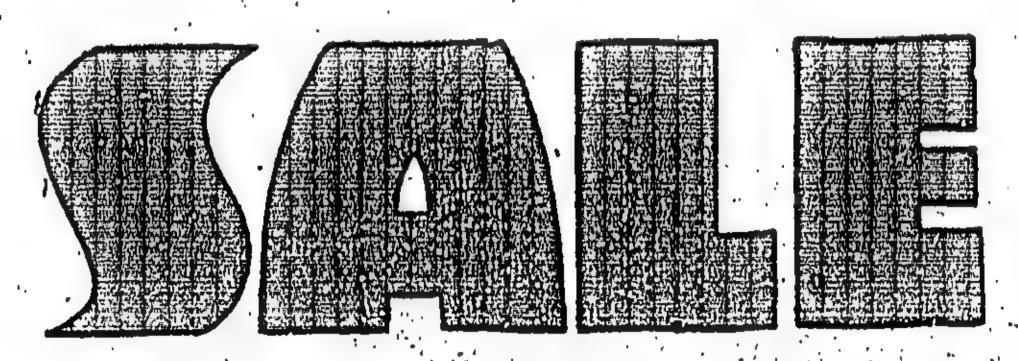
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# DECLARATION CZECHS AND

AN IMPORTANT joint declaration by the Polish Government and the Provisional Government of Czechoslovakia was published in London yesterday.

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haited the conclusion of this manifestations of cultural life, the agreement with the warmest satis-| spoliation of the treasures of faction and it can be said that science and art and the persecuhis Majesty's Government re- tion of all religious beliefs, are ungard it as a happy augury of a paralleled in all human history. better state of affairs in liberated Europe.

At the same time, it is em-'phasised that the agreement is i any other Government.

Diplomatic circles applaud the "Our two Governments address spirit in which the representatives this burning appeal to all free of two States which have learnt people immune from the German a cruel lesson in common and whose peoples now suffer common martyrdom have brushed aside all obstacles raised up by past misunderstanding or errors in order to make a bold imaginative stroke toward the building of a happier and better future for their two countries and the whole of central Europe.

The text of the declaration is as follows:

#### Inflexible Faith

that the heroic struggle now being fined \$40 by Mr. E. Himsworth at ammunition and 82 rounds of waged by Britain together with Kowloon this morning. her allies, against German tyran- Accused was alleged to have by Mr. K. M. A. Barnett this ny will end in the final defeaof the forces of evil and destruction; animated by profound conviction that the future order | junk at Cheung Sha Wan last ing a patrol in Chai Wan Gap, of the world must be based on the cooperation - of all - elements which recognise the principles of freedom and justice as constituting the moral foundation of all our common civilisation; the two Governments consider it imperative to declare solemnly even now that Poland and Czechoslovakia, are closing once and for all the period of past recriminations and disputes and, taking into consideration the community of their fundamental interest, are determined on the conclusion of this war to enter as independent and sovereign States into a closer political and economic association which would become the basis of a new order in Central Europe and a guarantee of its stability.

"Moreover, both Governments express the hope that in this cooperation, based on respect for the freedom of nations, its principles of democracy and the dignity of man, they will also be joined by other countries in that part of the European continent.

#### Comical Farce

"The two Governments are re- There work has stopped. solved already now to cooperate closely for defence of their common interests and for the preparation of the future association will enable them to be reconof the two countries.

"The two Governments stigmatise der's of Nazi Germany are en-European order.

subjected, expulsions of the nn-|buried. tive population from large areas Of the great "missing" meof its secular homelands, the morials we are told Menin Gatebanishing of hundreds of thou- is battered but standing. sands of men and women to the Canadian Memorial at Vimy, is interior of Germany for forced apparently undamaged. labour, mass execution and deportations to concentration camps, vate property, the extermination oraling the Mons Retreat and re- Chinese Republic.

Official quarters in London have of the intellectual class and all rings.

#### **Burning Appeal**

"They offer striking example of spontaneous and owes nothing to the spirit and methods of the Germanic new order.

> terror that in the measure of their strength they should help the nations allied in the struggle for the freedom of all nations and the deliverance of the world from its present monstrous nightmare."-British Wireless.

Charged with possession of arms and ammunition without a licence, and with possession of dangerous goods, Chan Fat, 40,

had a rifle, 118 rounds of am- morning. Thursday.

### DIAMOND RING ARREST

Charles Onslow, 40, described as unemployed, was charged before Mr. G. T. Lowry this morning, with unlawful possession of two diamond

It was stated that defendant was searched on information in Queen's Road Central on the afternoon of November 7, and pawn tickets for the rings were found in his possession. When questioned, he said the tickets. were given to him by a man named Li.

Sgt. Cullinan said that as defendant was in possession of the pawn tickets and no other person could redeem the rings without defendant was the tickets. charged with possession of the

One of the rings was pawned for \$80 and the other for \$30. Defendant was remanded for further enquiries.

### ARMS FOUND IN CHAI WAN HILLS

An application for confiscation "Imbued with inflexible faith master of a trading junk, was of a revolver and five rounds of rifle ammunition, was granted

> munition, 29 sticks of dynamite, The arms, and ammunition and four detonators on board his were found by Sgt. Dinsdale durnear Chai Wan Village; yesterday.

## QUESTION ON BRITISH WAR GRAVES ANSWERED

WHAT IS THE STATE of the cemeteries and memorials to the Empire's million 1914-1918 dead? This question was answered, in part, by Sir Fabian Ware, Chairman of the Imperial War Graves Commission in a broadcast yesterday.

save two," said Sir Fabian Ware, . The Australian Memorial at "our work is proceeding nor-Villers-Bretonneux is damaged mally. The exceptions are Oc- but still firmly erect, with shell cupied France and Flanders, holes piercing the panels which where three-quarters of the Em- bear names of 11,000 Australian pire's dead are commemorated, missing.

Some—a few—memorials have been obliterated. If we have accurate surveys which structed in detail.

"Others we know have been the comical farce which the lea- damaged, the headstones battered by machine-gun fire, the great deavouring to stage by proclaim- cross of sacrifice chipped and ing themselves builders of a new gashed, but still standing firm, carrying its scars of war.

The hypocrisy of these asser- "Most of them are undamaged tions is most clearly revealed in but neglected, overgrown with the light of German endeavours weeds, the lawns unkept, flower aiming at the destruction of our beds tangled and disordered. In two ancient nations which have some, wooden crosses mark the contributed their important graves of the New B.E.F. — in there to the common treasure others, in the foremost rows, of human civilisation. ... stand stout wooden crosses sur-The violence and cruelty; to mounted by German helmets [ which our two nations are being where our enemies, have been

#### Not Beyond Repair

"In all parts of the world | turn of 1914, is untouched.

In short, there is reason to believe that no clamage in France or Belgium is beyond repair. That repair will be carried out, because, by the irony of fate, the endowment fund ensuring per manent maintenance of our cemeteries and the memorials of the last war was completed just as the British Expeditionary Force was retiring from France in this

It was then that this provision was finally made for carrying on our work permanently. - British .

#### DR. SUN YAT-SEN'S BIRTHDAY

All Chinese schools, colleges and universities in Hong Kong closed to-day and a representative meeting of Chinese bodies. was held in the King's Theatre at 9 am, to commemorate the birthday anniversary of the late the plundering of public and pri- La Fertes memorial, commem- Dr. Sun Yat-sen; Father of the

# ITALIANS IN DOGFIGHT OVER THAMES ESTUARY

# Pie For Hurricane Squadron: Axis Rout problem

ARMISTICE DAY was celebrated with decisive victories over the air forces of the Axis. Up to four o'clock yesterday afternoon, R.A.F. had destroyed thirteen Italian 'planes and 13 German 'planes, all over the British Isles.

In the course of these combats, the Royal Air Force lost only two 'planes. It is officially announced that some of the Italian airmen, brought down in the Thames Estuary, were taken prisoner.

#### The thirteen Italian machines shot down consisted of seven bombers and six fighters.

and only a few 'planes succeeded five "alerts." in reaching the capital,

London observed the Two Minutes' Silence with bowed heads during one of the many alerts.

Further afield, fierce air battles were being waged over men and women everywhere standing at attention.

#### Attack On Shipping

It is not clear, writes Reuter's air correspondent, what part, if any, the Italians took in the raids on London itself. 'The Air Ministry communique deals only with German attempts to reach London, in the morning, and, during German attacks on South-East Coast towns in the afternoon. with an Italian attempt to attack shipping in the Thames Estuary.

#### Eight Shot Down

Eight Italian aircraft were shot down in this combat by a single squadron of Hurricanesnearly all fell into the sea.

One, which ended its career on land, crashed on a rifle range many miles away, at Woodbridge, Suffolk. Five members of the crew were taken prisoner, two of them with serious injuries. sixth member of the crew was killed.

.. This formation which is believed to be the first exclusively Italian formation to raid Britain is understood, adds Reuter's air correspondent; to have consisted of twin-engined Caproni 135, bombers and Fiat CR 42 fighters.

#### Easy Meat

The fighter escort was just able to keep up with the bombers it was accompanying, for the maximum speed of the CR 42 is about 273 m.p.h.—which does not exceed that of the Caproni 135,

It is small wonder that the entire formation was easy meat for the much faster Hurrichnes.".

Before noon, the Germans had sent over three large formations of fighter-bombers over the Channel and they were met by and dispersed by the R.A.F.'s reinforced . fighter , patrols .- Reu-

#### First Real Proof

The first real proof that Italian aircraft have been taking part in the attacks on Britain was provided yesterday.

Hurricanes shot down eight Italian machines — five bombers and three fighters - which were trying to raid shipping in the Thames Estuary,

The Italians for some time have been claiming that their machines were sharing in the attacks around Britain, but so for they have not succeeded in dropping bombs on Britain's soil by daylight.

been shot down.

Two were shot down over the suck,

Many enemy formations were sea, and the rest were brought over South-east England during down when they tried to get the day and were heading for through to London, which between London but they were all routed dawn and yesterday afternoon had

> In the first raid, over 100 German 'planes took part.

After crossing the south coast, however, they were met by Spitfires and Hurricanes and split up into small formations.

Forty of them got to the outskirts of London but only four actually reached the city.

Later in the morning there was another attack, but the raiders were met with an intensive A.A. barrage and changed course almost immediately. — Reuter.

#### Stoutly Engaged

German aircraft which attempted -to attack a convoy off the north coast of Kent were stoutly engaged by R.A.F. fighters. and driven off.

Bombs were dropped at several places in South-East England and a few points in the London area. Damage was done to houses and a few casualties are reported. British Wireless:

#### No R.A.F. Loss

The Italian, aircraft which attacked a British convoy to-day numbered from 15 to 20 bombers and about 60 escorting fighters. In shooting down 13, the R.A.F. surfered no loss.—British Wireless.

### BEATING HITLERS LATEST WEAPON

"If you usually sleep soundly for eight hours a night you will not expect to feel fit and lively if your rest ration is suddenly cut heavily upon him. As far as we to four hours, but you can, if you take it gradually, soon learn to do with far less sleep.

Remember these simple rules. and Hitler's planes will soon -cease to worry you. Allow yourself to doze in the train or bus on your way to and from work. Allow yourself to relax completely after your midday meal, even if.

"If you are at home go into a don't worry if you seem to be so overtired that you cannot sleep. If you sit or lie quietly you will be resting yourself just the same.

"There is no need suddenly to start leading a hermit-like life, An occasional visit to a cinema or "local," is valuable relaxation.

"Children must, of course, be encouraged to get as much sleep as possible,

"When you take them to a shelter insist that they lie down and remain quiet. Bables are not a

# BASES

Important supply bases for Italian troops attacking Greece were bombed combers developed on the lines at Kowloon this morning at the by R.A.F. aircraft on Sunday.

Docks and jetties at Sarande were attacked and severely damaged. One bomb exploded very close to a freight ship of about seven thousands tons.

Konispol - was also raided, the main jetty being demolished and the road junction badly damaged. From these operations all British aircraft returned to base safely.

At the same time, reconnaissance flights were made over the territory as far north as and including Valona.

During Saturday night in a further attack on Naples, an oil refinery, a railway junction and a station were the principal targets. Incendiary bombs started six fires, near the oil refinery and a very large blaze was observed as the result of the bombing of the railway station.

Despite considerable A.A. fire | Stu from land batteries and ships in harbour, the attack was pressed home. All British aircraft engaged in these operations also returned to their base undamaged. -British Wireless.

The Rev. Walter H. Armstrong, Norwich Methodist and first Moderator of the newly formed Free Church Federal Council, believes that the war should silence for ever "all these silly persons who have been telling us that it does not matter what we believe."

Delivering his inaugural address to the Council in London he declared that the war was the fruit of Nazi and Fascist creeds lorced into the minds of youth for years past. The atrocious crucities were the logical outcomes of the beliefs imposed.

"In my judgment, the overwhelming body of Free Churchman stand by the Prime Minister in the gigantic and almost overwhelming burden that lies can, we would help him in the bearing of the burden," he said.

"Prom him we hear no glorification of war as we have done from Hitter: and "Musselini. Jingolem "In this country is elther dead or breathing its last Breath."

The Archbishop of Canterbury said: "We are witnessing in our generation the most vast and terrisic struggle between Christian and non-Christian forces that has ever been seen."

It was significant that the anti-Christian forces had been able to yoke to themselves all the power and strength of science and pertheatre, or even that trip to the fection of that machinery to which so much of the spirit of the age had been subjected.

### RELIEF FUND FOR

problem because they will sleep! The Malta Relief Fund has re-Up to early in the afternoon, anyway, but put cotton wool ceived £ 1,000 from Maltese com-13: German 'planes had also pads in the earst of the older munities in Egypt, bringing the children and give them sweets to total subscribed by these people Fro, fur to \$2,000; - Reuter.

# RAF.S

Big black four-engined planes during recent raids in the South.

Those who have seen the 'planes say they look like the troop-carriers which Germany used during operations in Norway and Denmark, but air experts point out it is extremely difficult for the layman to recognise types of new machines, and nothing definite can be known until one of them has been brought down or a photograph taken from the air.

were regarded as a failure.

after further experiments, have Colony. evolved a four-engined bomber which they are giving "a try

carriers and are making recon-THEM, that

# AT BASE

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL")

The Air Ministry announces that the Royal Air Force has again violently bombed Lorient, which formations of German aircraft is the main German submarine base for attacks on shipping in the Atlantic.

Several U-boats are reported to have received direct hits during the raid. — International News

#### STREET SLEEPER CATCHES THIEF

One dollar from the Poor Box was rawarded to Ling So, 40, street sleeper, for arresting a It may be that they are large thief by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen of the four-engined bombers request of Sergeant Aitken who which Germany was known to prosecuted Ng Fu, 17, for stealpossess before the war, but which ling a piece of cloth from a

Chinese girl in Laichikok Road. The thief was bound over and It is possible that the Germans, ordered to be expelled from the

> naissances, heavily protected by fighters...

Or perhaps, the machines are BUT WHATEVER THEY ARE, the orthodox German troop- THE RAF. IS READY FOR

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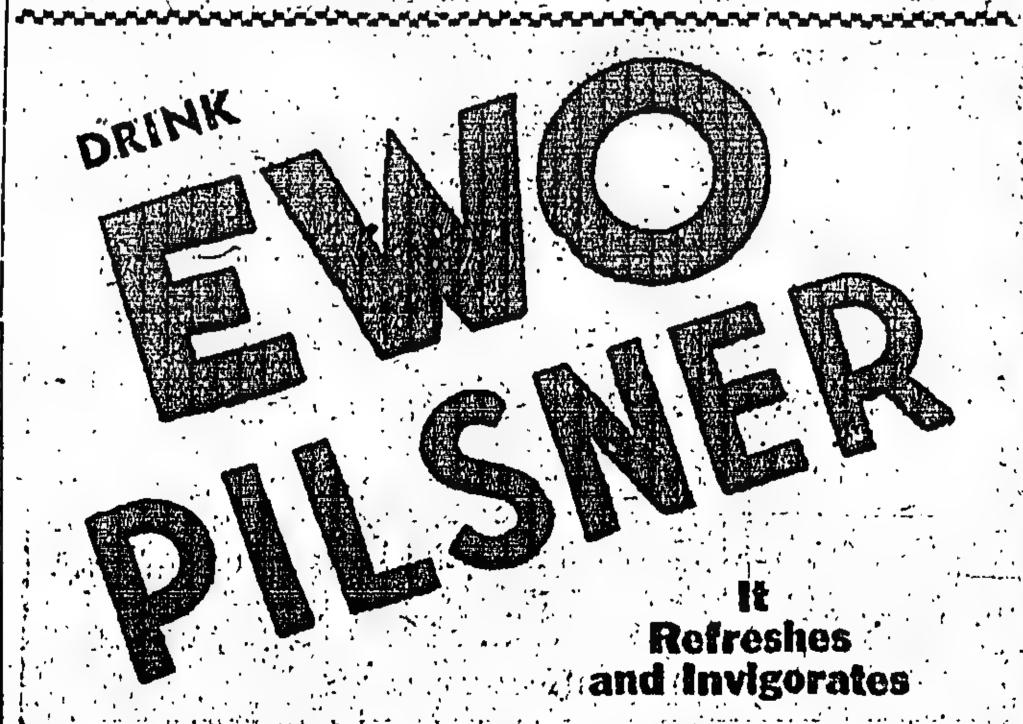
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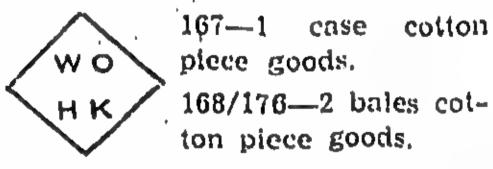
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#### A Comedy Of Errors

#### By The Four Aces

To-day's hand was a comedy if nobody had made a mistake:

West, Dealer Neither side vulnerable.

A A'K 5:4 2 OAKJ AARG **♠** 10 3 4 Q 8 V A X Q 9 · 🌣 10 5 2 ♦ ·Q 10 5 4

8 7 M 3 2 The bidding: West North ⁺East South 10 Dol. Pass 10 Pass 44 Pass Puss

. .-- CARD VALUES. MITENESS AND MARKETEN QUEENTH PHITM, WALVE OF PACE TO

CHEMIAS MUSE 471

West the Queen to a diamond tor 🔗 known reasons best to himself. A club lead would have allowed South no chance for the contract, but the diamond

shiff was an out-and-out "gift." South, however, was not going to allow West to outdo him in

diamonds to put the lead in his tural shape of the mouth." own hand. So far so good.

throughout the duration of each that was decidedly not good. For Meeting in such a manner as to be East won with the club King and returned the club Jack. Now. South could not avoid the loss Badges admitting Non-Members of a second club trick in addition to the two heart tricks taken by West at the beginning.

> South could have assured contract when West played the five of clubs. Correct play was to-top-this-with-dummy's-six\_of clubs! East would be obliged to win the trick; and no return would win another trick for the defence. Instead of assuming that West had to have the club King for his opening bid, South should have made the play which was sure to produce the game even if West's bid had been unsound.

> Yesterday you were Oswald Jacoby's partner and, with neither side vulnerable, you held:

> > AQJ73 7.53 The bidding:

Maier Schenken Jacoby 14

ANSWER: Pass. Your hand is strong enough for a non-vulner-. able overcall at the level of one but not for an overcall at the level of two. Your hand may produce about four tricks, hardly enough for an eight-trick con-

Score 100 per cent. for pass, 20 per cent. for two hearts.

#### Question No. 562

To-day you are Merwin Maier's partner and, with both sides vulnerable, you hold:

The bidding:

Jacoby You Hebonken Maler

10 (3) What do you bid? (Answor To-morrow.

.. (Released by The Bell Syndlcate, Inc.)

BRITAIN MEEMS WITH RE-FUGEES FROM ALL THOSE COUNTRIES NOW UNDER THE NAZI HEEL. THEY CONSIST OF BOTH YOUNG AND OLD. of errors, but the final result was MOST OF THEM ARRIVED on THURSDAY, -14th November, just what it would have been HERE WHEN HITLER INVAIDED THE LOW COUNTRIES AND FRANCE.

Among the refugees are girls. Some of them are separated from their Lweethearts.

xlous to adapt themselves to their will reward you. Obtainable from new country. They have brought chemists everywhere, with them the habits of their own. In their own way, they knew what best attracted the young men of their countries..

They knew how to fix their KJ109 hair; what make-up to put on, the fashions in clothes and what not.

Those who are here must sometimes think of romance. Indeed, it is possible that they might even contemplate marrying a young Britisher. They are therefore eager, to learn from British girls anything that they themselves don't know.

#### "'Independence"

The first girl one reporter interopened viewed was Irene Arkin, of Warthe King of hearts | saw. She escaped from that city continued seven days after the Nazis entered her country. After an exciting he shifted journey through many countries, she finally reached Paris.

She said: "My first impression of English girls was their air of independence. They move about with such confidence that one can't help but admire them. "The girls in my country do not

enjoy such freedom. "Another scharacteristic of the girls over here is the way they the matter of generosity. He use lipstick. Their lips are much laid down the Ace and King of redder than those of Polish girls. trumps, noting with satisfaction . "But this is not adverse criticthe fall of the trump Queen, ism. I like to see the lips clearly Then he cashed the King of dia- defined. Moreover, the use of monds and ruffed the Jack of lipstick often improves the na-

#### "So Polite"

finesse the Queen of clubs; and She was asked whether she had had any romance in England. She smiled and said: "Not yet. I'm too busy studying. You see, I'm ambitious."

Of British men, Irene had this to say: "They are so polite, so gentle and so well-mannered.

"These qualities are admirable. I should imagine that the average Englishman would make 'a good husband."

She said that Englishmen are smarter in dress than her own countrymen, "And," she added, "I think that

they are generally very good-

#### No Good To Panic Trene went on to tell something

of the way in which Polish girls

-Abruises. scratches. abrasions, burns, scalds, insect bites and stings ,are ,quickly, soothed, and healed by the application for She-Ko. Also



for the curative treatment of cozema, ringworm, sores, itch, sunburn, chapped lips and hands, this fragrant antiseptic ointment is equally

rapidly beneficial. Keep a tin All of them are naturally an handy in the home, your foresight

#### SHE-NO Quickly soothes and heals.

stood up to bombing in early days of the war.

"We behaved very much the same as your women are behaving now," she said.. "We knew that it was no good to panic, "I would like to say this to

English girls: The battle which you are sharing with your men is one in which the hopes of my fellow countrywomen are centred: "And they know, too, that

you will stand up heroically to the great strain of this ordeal through which you are passing just now.

"You are fighting for their liberty as much as for your own, for if Britain fails they can never hope to enjoy freedom again:"



It's all right to build casties in the air but sooner or later a man realizes he can't travel very far living in a cloud.

#### OFF THE RECORD



"Please put both hands back on the wheel, darling. Let's Inot take any 'chances!"

Here's Luch

#### Bringing Up Father









# LCOMOMY

Appetising but inexpensive are these delicious dishes made from vegetables and fruits that are in season now.

Economy is the watchword in the kitchen these days. We're all making the most of foods that are in season and keeping our eyes put the slightest strain on your siceated coconut. pocket book.

#### Brawn

12-pig's head l onion 6 peppercorns Cold salt water Sprig of parsley Blade of mace Seasoning Salad

put into a large saucepan of cold, it comes a caramet. Add the milk salt water. Bring to the boil and and beaten egg and stir until it skim. Add the onion, peppercorns, thickens. Cut the bread into small mace and cook gently for three dice, and pour the hot caramel hours until the flesh leaves the over this. Cover and leave for 12 bones. Lift out the head, trim off hour. Prepare the fruit and peal all the meat, and chop finely. Re-land stir this with the grated lemon turn the bones to the liquor and rind into the bread without mashboil the liquid briskly without a ing it. Put into a greased basin lid until it is reduced to half, and steam for 112 hours. Strain the liquor over the meat and season well. Pour into wetted moulds or basins and leave, till set. Turn out when cold, garnish -with--parsley,--and--serve-- with--4-oz: minced meatsalad.

#### Fruit Would

1 lb. pears or guavas or any soft fruit Desiccated coconut A oz: crushed tapicta Sugar to taste.

Stew the fruit in sufficient water open for inexpensive ingredients to cover. When soft, strain or pass for our dishes. But inexpensive through a sieve. Make the liquid meals don't have to be dull meals | up to a pint with water, and add Far from it—with a pinch of sea- the well-washed tapioca grain to soning and a little imagination, the juice and the sugar. Simmer you can work wonders with the the tapica gently until it is quite simplest foods. This week I am clear and transparent. Pour into giving you some of my favourite a wetted mould and set aside in a economy recipes. They're nourish-| cool place. Turn out and serve ing and delicious, but they don't decorated with cherries and de-

#### **Caramel Pudding**

4 oz. stale bread ·6 Aumps of sugar

12 pint milk

3 oz. sultanas 2 oz. candied peel Grated lemon rind

1 tablespoon water Dissolve the sugar in 1 table-Wash the head thoroughly and spoon water and heat gently until

#### Stuffed Marrow

:1 marrow

4 oz. breadcrumbs

#### with young carrots. Fish A La Normandie

"4 even-sized pótatoes

cooked onion

Parsley

Seasoning

Cooked carrots

Boiling salt water

1 teaspoon mixed herbs

-Halve the marrow lengthwise

and scoop out all the seeds. Re-

move the peel and cook it for eight

minutes in boiling salt water.

Chop the onion finely and add the

herbs, breadcrumbs and minced

meat. Moisten with beaten egg or

stock, season well, and pack the

stuffing into the haives of the

marrow. Put the two halves to-

gether and bake in a covered cas-

serole or baking dish for I hour.

Garnish with parsley and serve.

12-1b. seer fish

-2 tablespoons shrimps 1 tablespoon cheese

後60z. butter

:½。oz.: flour

1/4 pint milk Pepper and salt

'Scrub the potatoes and bake them in their jackets. Put the fish into a haking dish, cover with greased paper, and bake in a hioderate oven for twenty minutes, Prepare a thick white sauce from the butter, flour, milk and seasoning. Add any liquid from fish to the sauce and stir in the seasoning and the shrimps, or prawns which have been picked and chopped.

Remove the centre of the potatoes and beat this into the sauce. Place a portion of fish in the centre of each potato. Cout with the sauce, sprinkle with grated cheese, and brown under a red-hot grill.

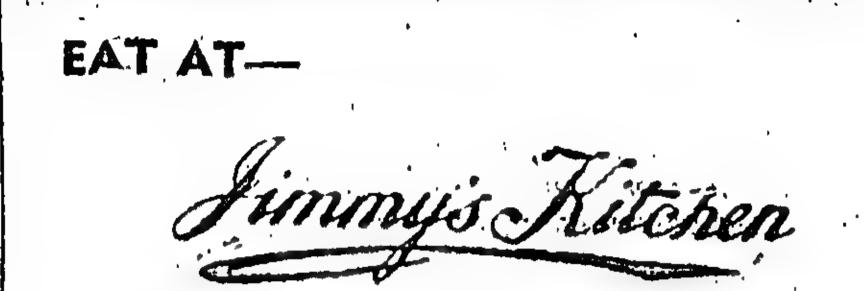
### The Care Of The Hands

Finger treatment requires no expensive outlay; good skin foods can be used to keep the skin supple and white, but a bottle of liquid paraffin will give excellent results if used regularly

The cuticles of the nails should be smeared with a trace of vasedine and then datalittle paraffin should be poured into the hollow of one palm. Proceed to rub; it well into both hands, using a rotary movement of the thumb of one hand down the length of each finger, working always from the nails towards the wrists and treating first the inside and then the back of the hands. Finish by wringing the hands loosely with

a rotary movement of the wrists. The following exercise is excellent for keeping the fingers slender and supple. -- Hold the hand palm upwards, stretching the thumb out stiffly; and keeping it quite-still during the exercise. Then bend your first-finger until it touches the ball of the thumb without moving the other fingers. Return the first finger, to its-original position and proceed with the others in turn. At first, wif your hands are stiff, you will not find this an easy performance, but.

When despondent regarding the appearance of your hands from the point of view of their colour, treat yourself to a lemon and magnesia pack. To prepare this mix a tablespoonful of milk or cream -of magnesia with a toaspoonful of lemon juice, and apply evenly all over the hands and fingers after washing them ... thoroughly. It dries quickly and should be left on for a run five minutes after it has hardened. Then wash roff in lukewarm, water and apply your favourite hand Tollon.



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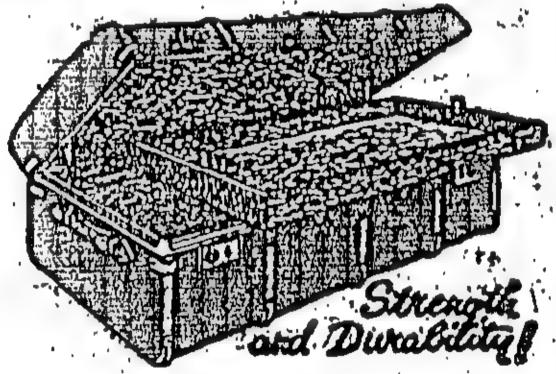
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given below and here's how...to arrange it. When you are wearing your new

frock, put-it on so that the join, where the wrap pieces are attached to the cap, comos at the side (left or right of the head, accord-) ing to the side you usually tilt your hats). Pass the ends to back, cross them and bring them round to front again, slot one end under the band and pin the "bunny" ears in position.

For motoring. Place join to side back. Pass one end tightly round head to right and second end loosely to left to give a softly draped.effect. One end-is-now-len-. ger than the other and can be knotted at side.

"Materials: 20z."3-ply Royal Blue super-fingering, loz. white or other colour for contrast. 1 pr. No. 7 and 1 pr. No. 12 pins. Abbreviations: K. knit, p. purl, sts. stitches, itog, together, dec. decrease.

" Crown: "Using the blue wool, cast on 140 sts with No. 12 pins. Rib 5 ins. K.1, P.I.

Shape the top: 1st:row -- Rib 11 ins, Take next 3 tog. Repeat from tto end. Rib three rows without decreasing.

3 sts tog. Repeat, from o to end.

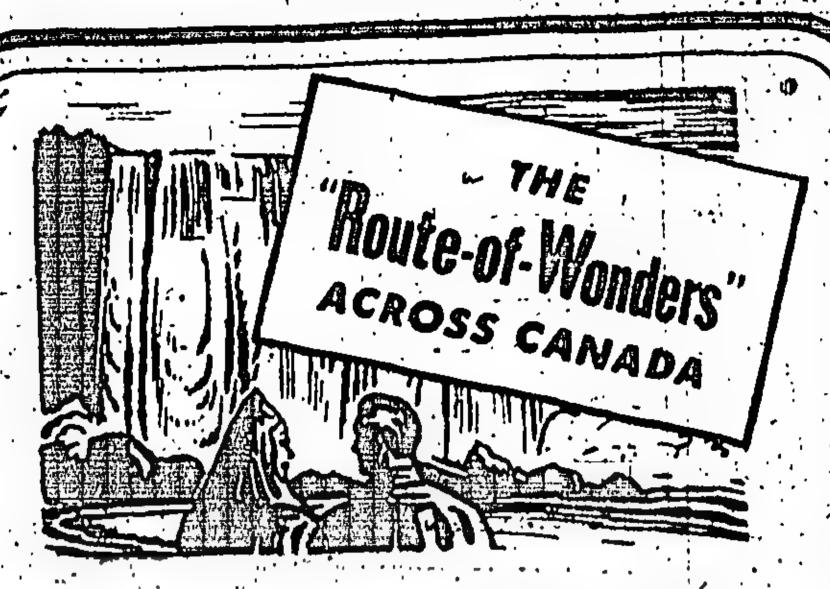
Rib three rows without dec. 9th row. Rib 7 sts. Take the next 3 sts. tog. Rep. from o to end. edge. Cast off. Make a similar \* Rib A row: Continue decreasing strip in white wool. in this way, ribbing at the begining | of the decreasing row 2 sts less the seams of the crown and join one row, then rib one row with- Press with warm from and damp out doc.) until 20 sts remain. "Lust row: K1 "rib 3"tog. "rep. Tto "the back of crown.



from "to last stitch; kil. Draw up practice will make perfect. with meadle and wool.

Brim (half wrap).—With blue wool and No. 7 ipins, cast on 30 5th row. - Rib 9 sts. Take next sts. Work 4 rows plain knitting. 5th row - K4, p.2. Rep. from a to end. Repeat this row until work measures 25in: from the cast-on

To make up the turban -- Seweach time (thus you dec. in the the brim wrap ends together.) cloth. Stitch seam of brim wrap



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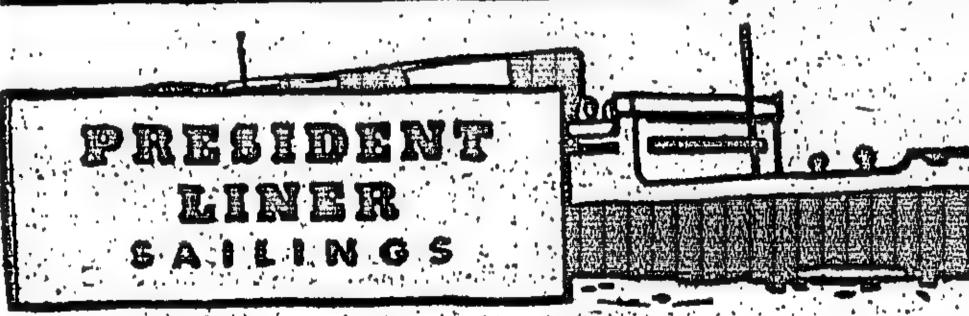
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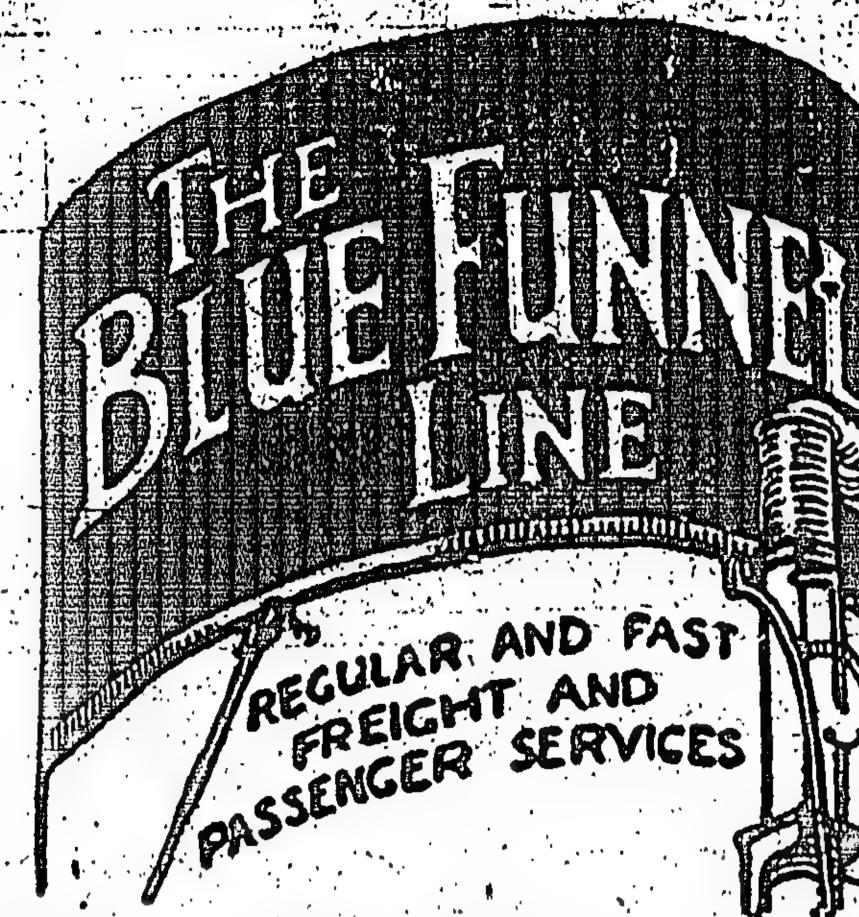
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SINCE THE WAR began Britain has acquired a new Fleet, the Auxiliary Patrol Service. In the "China Mail" last week some account was given of the ways in which merchant sailors have turned their hands to fighting, in the Royal Naval Reserve or in defence of their own ships, against U-boats and 'planes. The story of the Patrol Service introduces another type of recruit to war service at sea.

When war broke out a number of fishing craft were taken over by the Admiralty as patrol vessels as part of our submarine defences. These were reinforced by yachts which their owners placed at the disposal of the Navy.

## INVASION THREAT BE REVERSED

The following account of how Britain is standing the German air attack, written by William Mc-Gaffin, of the "Associated Press" staff in London, was published in American newspapers recent-motor yacht is a second hand, an ly:---

dictators may have prepared for lunteer Reserve, and there Brenner Pass, military circles in In the case of trawlers and

By the spring they expect to of hostilities only. see Britain so much stronger that the invasion threat will have been completely reversed, leaving the Nazis much more concerned over how to repel an make one.:

knock out London, was unleashed against-the-city-exactly-in-September.

#### Battered But Unbowed

The citizen, his wife and children, have found themselves suddenly pitched into the front line without the means of fighting back. Nazi raiders have destroyed the citizen's home. They have bombed hospitals and schools, set fire to churches, and machinegunned 'streets.;

They have flattened whole blocks of East-end tenements, smashed up Central London office buildings

Yet London still stands, battered but unbowed-"business asusual."

Neutral a small percentage.

admit that a month's "Blitz" has safety of its members. confronted Britain with some This much can be said—that EXHAUSTED BY FEVER? any threats.

#### "May Sue For Peace"

duction here and in the United for shorter spells, States.

barrage and A.A. guns.

They are optimistic over the prospect of finding an answer to night bombing before the winter ends.

It is admitted that what might happen / In the Mediterrancan this winter could have a serious bearing on the battle of Britain. It is felt, however, that Mussolini's delay in pushing the invasion of Egypt is a tack admicolon of the tremendous ob- | tain by the spring.

Among these was the 200-ton Campeador V, sunk by an enemy mine in June. Her owner, Mr. Vernon Macandrew, handed her over to the Admiralty, served in her and went down with her. Most of her crew were yachtsmen from South Devon, and included a retired Surgeon Rear-Admiral. In recent months the Patrol

Service has been strengthened until now it forms a cordon round our shores from Wick round the East and South Coasts and up the West Coast as far as Larne and Liverpool. In the waters near these shores the boats of the Patrol maintain a ceaseless watch in any sort of weather conditions

#### that come along. From The R.N.V.R.

The average crew of a small engineer, and two ordinary seamen.' Most of the officers are Whatever "surprises" the Axis drawn from the Royal Naval Vo-Britain at their meeting on the usually one officer to six yachts.

London are looking to a rapidly- drifters there is one officer to two approaching winter with what or four vessels, with skippers in they cautiously term "reasonable charge of the others. The fisherconfidence," and a feeling that the men who man the trawlers are officers had chased a suspected worst of the air onslaught is over, specially enlisted for the duration spy from Guildford through Lon-

> also been incorporated the Port the point of capture. of London Authority River Emergency Service, whose "beat" is 33-year-old lance-corporal in a

on the Thames from Tower London regiment, who, it was invasion rather than how to Bridge to Hole Haven. The famous barge of Mr. A. P. Herbert, The air attack, supposed to M.P., is in the Thames Patrol, and circumstances of Cain's death. It when she was taken into the service her owner continued to serve in her as a petty officer.

Allied vessels are also on patrol duty, and among units on the south-west coast are trawlers manned by Poles.

The Poles have Impressed British naval men as extraordinarily fine seamen, who keep their ships in first-rate condition.

Joseph Conrad, Polish master road that lad to Holyhead the mariner and master, too, of English prose, did not survive to tell the story of his countrymen's high adventure in remote waters.

#### Tale Still To Be Told

But, even were there a Conrad correspondents and or a Herman Melville to immormilitary experts agree that a talise the exploits of the Auxiliary month of Blitzkrieg, such as no Patrol, the tale would have to be people in the world has ever be- deferred. The fewer details fore had to endure did not impair available to the enemy of its work Britain's war effort by more than and of the exact areas in which for some time. it operates, the better for the ef-Authoritative circles frankly ficiency of the service and the

staggering problems, but those danger has become a matter of same circles believe that British routine with these fishermen and morale is tough enough to bear yachtsmen, of whom few, except the Royal Naval Reserve gunlayers, have naval training. Many of their boats are such as, for peaceful purposes, would be The British are counting on the considered fair-weather craft, and R.A.F., whose brilliant day-time cannot be fuelled for long trips: victories are already axiomatic, Generally speaking, four-day tours growing over stronger from inces of duty are carried out by trawsant acceleration of aircraft pro- lers, and the small boats are used

. It can also be said that some of They are counting on the wea- the boats are in action every day ther, which will soon ha bad against enemy aircraft, but the enough to cause the German ma- full story of their exploits is one chines to ice over if they try to that the future historian of the go above the range of the balloon Patrol will have the greatest difficulty in piecing together,

As a naval officer put it "These chaps are so used to action that they don't bother to report unless they have casualtles."

atacles which the Italian commanders find themselves facing. There exists the opinion that if his invasion fails the Duce might sue for a separate peace with Bri-

The King and Queen recently heard how a suggestion made by King George V helped to defeat the Germans in 1918.

In a heavy artillery school in the Northern Command a lieutenant-colonel of the Royal Engineers told how on August 8, 1918, King George the Fifth came to a 14-inch naval gun position on a railway near Arras and gave orders for the first shot to be fired on Douai railway junction.

After the shot King George told the lieutenant-colonel in command of the battery that he had just come from the Fourth Army, which was launching its attack on Amiens.

"You can be perfecly sure that the Germans will have to rush their reinforcements from Ypres through Douai," said King George "... "Why not keep up a harassing fire on the railway junction?"

"We dropped 120 tons of high explosives on the railway junction," the colonel told the King. "Afterwards an English lady

told me that there were 400 casualties in a German troop train on our first day's firing," The gun, nicknamed the "Boche

Buster," and sister gun, known as the "Scene Shifter," are soon to be in action against the Hun

'After Secret Service and C.I.D. don and Northampton to Shrews-With the Auxiliary Patrol has bury, he was killed in a field on

> He was John Vincent Cain, a alleged, had a criminal record.

> There is deep mystery in the has not been established whether he took his own life, as was at first stated.

> Inquiries showed, it was alleged, and as there was reason to believe that Cain was a known criminal, he was carrying out espionage tha cfficers who had picked up his trail first at Guildford chased Cain to London; and thence, to Northampton.

Here they missed him by only a It is a thousand pities that few minutes. Right along the chase went on till, near Shrewsbury, Cain took to a field, where la're be was found shot,

Great secrecy was observed at the preliminary inquest on Cain, and neither Press nor public were allowed to attend.

For the last fortnight special branch officers have been investigating Cain's movemen's and connections during the past few months. When he died he had been absent from his regiment

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Three elderly women—two aged about eighty-took shelter under the stairs and were unharmed when a bomb damaged much of their house in a Midland town during the night.

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# GOOD WIN FOR KOWLOON C.C.OVERHONGKONGC.C.

Amazing Collapse Before Lunch

## Lloyd, Anderson And Zimmerm Bowl Well

By "Adrem"

Consistent bowling by F. R. Zimmern, N. D. Lloyd and D. J. N. Anderson, for K. C. C., gave, the Kowloon club a six-wicket victory over Hong Kong Cricket Club in a friendly whole-day game at Chater Road yesterday.

backed by a keen field and both his back play sound. the ground-fielding and catching was particularly good, Anderson taking three good catches, and Rapley and F. R. Zimmern distinguishing themselves with their ground-fielding.

"Nevertheless, Cricket Club's poor showing with the bat was hard to explain. The wicket was good and the bowling, apart from Lloyd's slows, was not really dangerous.

Richardson and Knight gave after wickets fell steadily, judi- wickets for just an hour. cious bowling changes being most effective.

#### Useful Stand

5 for 45 but a stand between spell, taking three wickets in his Richardson and John Pearce first two overs for only one run stopped, the rot and it appeared and finishing up with 3 for 4. possible that this pair would pull Zimmern met with scant success the fat out of the fire as both were in his first spell, when he could batting stolidly and Pearce never not find a length, but in his appeared in any difficulty, his second spell he was practically

. The K. C. C. bowlers were | forward play being confident and

With the score at 76, however, Richarden- was brilliantly taken in the slips by Donald. Anderson, who snapped up a quick chance which . Broadbridge got his hands to but failed to hold. This was the baginning of the end and a remarkable collapse followed, the next four wickets falling in the space of 10 minutes without addition to the score.

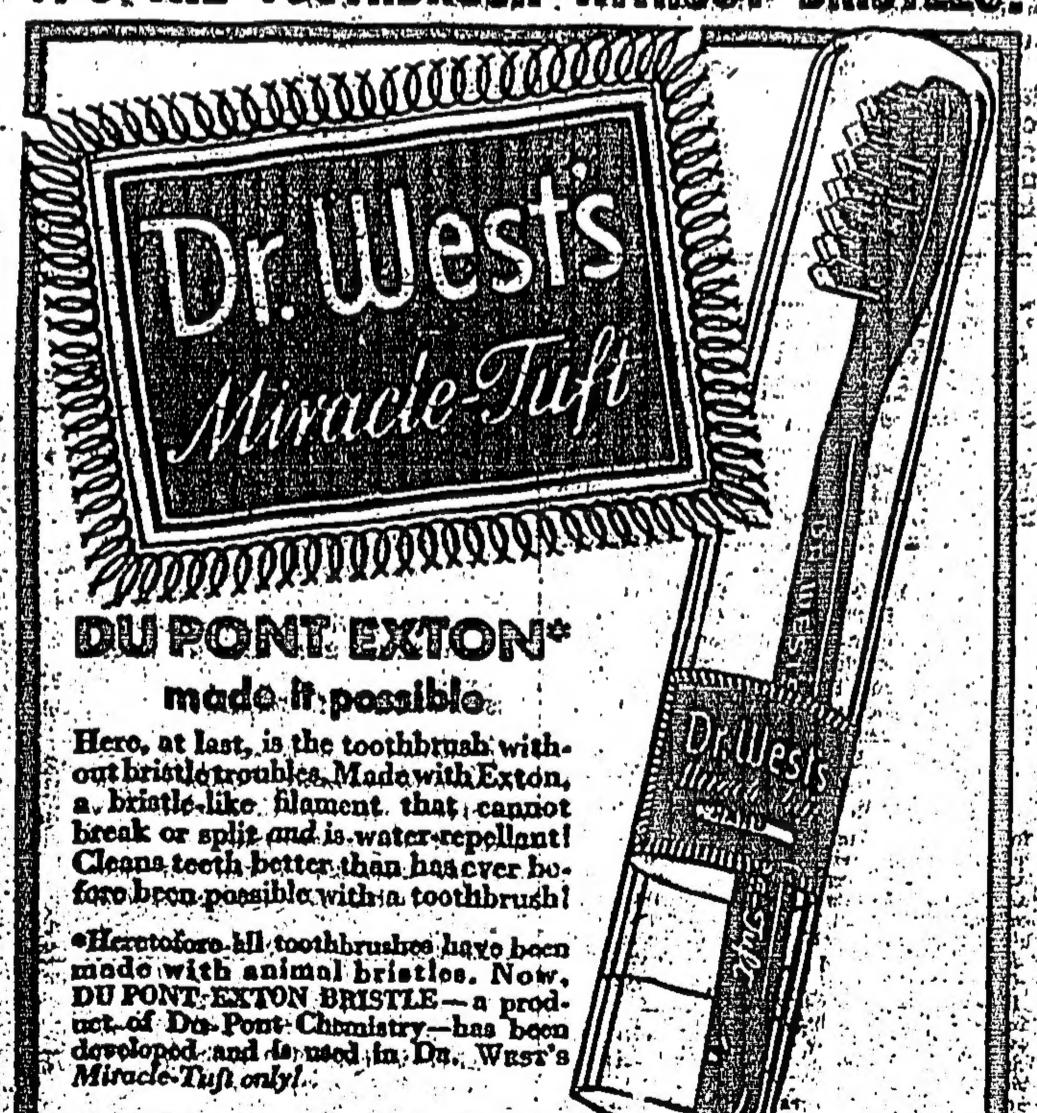
Richardson batted stolidly and H.K.C.C. a useful start, adding at no time looked like getting out. 32 for the first wicket, but there- | He hit six fours and was at the

> Although he did not secure the best analysis Lloyd bowled really brilliantly. He was always trying something and had all the batsmen reaching for them...

At 12.17 Cricket Club had lost | Anderson also had a useful

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### PENALTIES FOR INEFFICIENCY

The War Fund should bonefit considerably as the rescult of the introduction; at K.C.C. and H.K.C.C., over the week-end of boxes in which cricketers who drop catches for make "ducks" are required to contribute 20 cents. Both boxes benefited substantially yesterday - H.K. "C.C. members in the match lat Chater Road donating particularly "generously!"

unplayable, to, take three, wickets in his last over for only one run.

#### K.C.C. Bat

K. C. C. were given a goodstart by Anderson and Hung, both of whom batted steadily, but after being 40 for 1 a partial collaps: set in and the next three wickets fell for the addition of only 10 runs. A. Zimmern and Mackay then stayed together until the scores were tied and Francis Zimmern came in to make the winning hit.

K. C. C. continued batting, Zimmern going on to make 37: and Teddy Fincher securing 18 not out. At 160, K. C. C. declared and H.K.C.C. had a further '90' minutes' batting during which, some of, the brightest cricket of the day was seen.

Alec Pearce hit hard and often and; scored 69; including 11 fours and two sixes, in 33 minutes.

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F. Baker, b Lloyd	0
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E. C. Fincher, not out	18
Extras (B21, LB5)	26
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J.E. Richardson, A. E. Perry, J. L.

C. Pearce and CAD. N. Walker did not

Bowling Analysis

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C. A. Pearce, b. Fincher.

Er W. Pudney, b Fincher

D. S. Bosonquet, not out

F. Baker, h. Andorson, .... H. Owen Hurhes, not out ...

Extras (B9. WB1)

### CORRECTION

The following correction re- Destroyers. arding the Special Dollar Sweep trawn at the Macao Race Meetng. on Sunday. has been issued by the Macao Jockey: Club:---The first prize in the special weep (Race No. 6), was drawn Ticket No., 04846 and not | 2nd M.T.B.(s. Tigket No. 14846 as given in Kumsons yestorday's papers

## MACAULEY'S BIG SCORE

auley, of Diocesan Boys son:-School, who was brought! into the side at the last C.B.A. moment: to make up numbers, and the surprising Khalsa failure of the powerful Gunboats Cricket, Club batting side featured the friendly whole-day cricket, match Police "A" at Kowloon-Cricket Club Engineers yesterday, between the Khalsa junior teams of K.C.C. and 2nd M.T.B.'s H.K.C.C.

Ki C. C. won by the large may- A. N. Other "XI" v. Engineers gin of 102 runs.

K. C. 'C. batted first and Ma- Police "B" cauley and Burch put on 59 for Kumaons the first-wicket. Baxter then signals came in and runs; came steadily | Destroyers and not until 102 runs had been added for the second wicket was the partnership broken. Macaulay being caught and bowled by Gillespie, with his score at 87:

The D. B. S. boy hit 13 fours sth A.A. "B" during a stay at the wickets of Gunboats 100 minutes and, al hough he was dropped several times, his innings, was a valuable on a Baxter was very restrained and hit only four fours in his 50 -his second half-century in suc-

cessive matches.

With their score at 213 for. 9 Destroyers wickets, K. C. C. declared. Robb Police "B" bowled very stendily for HK.C.C. and finished up with 4 for 67 in 14 overs. At one time he had conceded 55 runs with- 5th A:A. "B" cut taking a wicket but he University took his four wickets in his last Engineers three overs for only 9 runs. Finnie | Kumaons also bowled steadily to take 3 for Signals 48 in 15 overs.

Ho K. C. C. never looked like getting the runs and Bishop and A.N. Other "XI" v Destroyers Gillespie, who both reached the twenties, were the only batsmen to offer any real resistance. Curtis bowled very, well-for the home team to take 3 for 28, while Baldwin's spinners - brought him 4 for 44 in eight overs.

K.C.C. AND XI . Macauley, c and b; Gillespic .... 87 L. R. Burch, run-cut K. M. Baxter, b Finnle ..... S. A. Gray, b Finnle,.... W. Bertram, b Robb ..... Baldwin, b Robb E. Curtis, st. Parana, b Robb H: Brokenshire, b Finnic..... W. W. Parsons, b Robby R<sub>1</sub> A. J. Simpson, not jout ..... R.; Leigh, not out Extras (B1, LB1, WB1, NB1)... 

.Bowling-Analysis. P'shop..... 3: .0 . 32' Robb ..... 14, 0: 67. 4. Mackenzie ..... 2 0 23 0 Gillespic. ..... 4. 0 16. 1 Paterson ..... 3. 0 21 0 H.K.C.C. 2ND\_XI D: O: Parsons, c Macauley, b. N. D. Bocker, I biw., b. Curus ..... 10 Kumaons. J. C. C. Matthews, c. Leigh, b Baldwin R. H. Griffiths, c. Macauloy, b. -Kitalsa v. A. N. Other. "XI" R. M. M. King, b Curt's, ..... 9 C.B.A. C. W. E. Bishop, c Macauley; b. Baldwin- 21 Nomads A. R. Mackenzto- h Curits 0 Engineers R. D. Gillespin, b. Paranna. .... 20 University. R. S. Wi. Paterson, C. Bertram. by Signals Lt.-Cmdr. W. G. Finnie, not out ... 5 A. NuOther, XI. V. Signals Extros. (B7; LB2; NB37 ...... 12 Pollar A:

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HOCKEY FIXTURES

Following are the remaining Hong Kong Hockey Association Tournament fixtures for the sea-

3rd | Round - November - 17

Recreio. v. A. N. Other "XI" v Police "A" V. Nomadse v Signals v · University · v. 5th. A.A., "A"

Destroyersv. Police "B" 4th Rounday Navember 24 c Nomada v A. N. Other "XI" v Recreio v Kumaqna ... University, v Signals v 5th; A.A: , "B;" 5th A A: "At v Gunboata⊷

Destroyers

v. 2nd M.T.B.'s

\* \* 5th- Round. December - 1 Police "A" Nomads v Recreio v 2nd M.T.B.'s v / Universityv Khalsa.. v 5th A:A; "A"

- 6th Round, December 8 University v · A; N; Other "XI" v Police, "A!" Engineers Nomads v C.B.A. 5th A.A. "A" v Ponce "B" v Kumaons " v Signals., v Destroyers

- 7th Round: December, 15, A: N: Other "XI" v 5th A.A. "B" v. University Police "A" C.B'A v. Engineers Recreio V : Nomads .. Kumaons. v Gunboats. v Signals v Khalsa.

3th Round, December 22 Gunboats. v A. N. Other "XI" v Police "A" V. CBA. v Recreio · V Destroyersv. Police. "B": :  $\mathbf{v}_{\mathrm{o}}$  2nd  $\mathbf{M}.\mathbf{T}.\mathbf{B}.\mathbf{s}$ 

9th Round, December 23 Police "A" v. Gunboats. C.B.A v.\_5th: A,A...!'B Recreio · v University Nomads v Engineers Police "B" v. Kumaons ... 2nd;M.T.B. s . 🔍 🧸 Signals 🕟 🦡 5th A:A. "A"

.10th, Round., January; 5,, 1941 A. N. Other. "XI" v Police .. "B" Destroyers v . Police "A" Gunboals. v C.B.A. 5th-A A, "B" v Recreio University v Nomads Kumaons v 2nd M.T.B.'s Signals: v. 5th«A.A.: "A"

11th Rounds January 12 4 . 2nd. M.T.B.'s v. A. N. Other "XI" v Pollee "B" Police "A" CBA. v Destroyers Recreio v Gunboats V 5th A.A. '23' Engineers. V. University R. W. 5th A.A. "A'. v Kumaons

> 12th.: Round, January 19 A. N. Other "KI" v .5th A.A. 2nd M.T.B.'s v Police "A" Police;"B" V C.BIA. Destroyers. v Rucreio Gunboats V Nomada. v Engineers

13th Round, January 285 v. Police A. v. 2nd M.T.B, s. Recreio V Police Bit v .. Destroyers v o Gunbonts -V. 5th A.A. 'B'

y Kumaons v. Khalsa C.B.A. V. 5th A.A. "A: 2nd M.T.B. 3 .V ... Recrpio: Nomada V Polico."B" Engineers v Destroyers Gunbouts... V' University

18th Roundy February 9: Kumaphs !! VAA N. Othor . XE! Signals: v. Police .. A. Khalsa V C.B.A. 5th A.A. "A" v. Recrolo Nomads. v ; 2nd M.T.B. B Polico-"B" v. Engineers:

.v. University 5th A.A. "B" v Gunbonts - 18th., Round, February 16,

Police "A" V. Kumaons C.B.A. v Signala Recreio V Khalsa Bih-A.A. "A" v Nomada' v. Engineerat V. University V. DID A.A. TET

By "SQUADDY"

N the second round of the Small Units' football competition, there were one or two surprises with the formidable "A" Company team of the

#### Small Units' Middlesex losing to "D"

Football Company of the Royal Scots. Their team includes several battalion first and second eleven footballers.

Another surprise result was the R.A.S.C. being beaten by "C" Company of Royal Scots in a good hard game, the Scots winning by three goals to two.

Results to date in the second round;---

24th Hvy. Bty. R.A. beat the FUND. R.A.O.C. 4—0.

22nd (F) Coy. R. E. beat "A" Coy. of the Royal Scots 4-0. "C" Coy, of the Royal Scots beat | Press and Referees | which ended |

the R.A.S.C. 3-2, "D" Coy, of the Royal Scots beat "A" Coy, of the Middlesex 1-0. R.A.F. beat "B" Coy, of the Roval Scots 2—1.

Royal Scots by four clear goals, bigger score. It was a match which promised to be quite interesting but, owing to various incidents especially in the latter part of the game, it was completely spoiled. From the kick-off the Scots had the Sappers pinned in their own half and from a scramble in the goalmouth the ball was sent up 'the field to Li Wai-lum who, after beating Naysmith, sent in a terrific shot which gave Bankier no chance but luckily enough hit the upright and rebounded into his hands; he was unable to hold it, however, and Jones, dashing in, hooked the ball into the net to give the Sappers the lead.

From then on the Sappers had most of the play and Fox received the ball, and, after working his way towards the goal, he let drive and gave the Engineers their second gaol. After the interval the Sappers increased their score to three, and the final goal came through Jones taking a shot at goal which Bankier misjudged and one of the defenders deflected into the net.

COR the 'great event' to-morrow which is taking place in the icinity of Stonecutters Island, the undermentioned crews will take part Rowing and the Engineers 19—8; Regatta and Service Corps, who are the two

best-fancied crews in this event, Softball will be worth watching. A good display of oarsmanship should be Force did not play. secn.

lows:---

Bty. R.A.; 24th Hvy, Bty. R.A.; Fortress Royal Engineers; Carrier Platoon of the Royal Scots; "C" Company of the Middlesex; and the Royal Army Service Corps.

THE Combined Small Units did well in their first match of the season on Saturday when they defeated Hong Kong Cricket Club juniors by 9 wickets

Chater Road. Small Units have a strong team and should be able to retain the Large Units Cricket Cup which they won last season.

Club batted first and scored 92. They lost their first five wickets for 25 runs and did well to reach 92 due to the fine butting of R. M. M. King who made a brilliant 39.

ing 49, Stoner 30, and Lieut. make any headway, until Twomey, Coombes 25 not out. Capt. Dewar following up the ball, scored after of the R.A.S.C. took five wickets for 40 runs.

On Saturday the Engineers drew 122 for eight declared giving the reached 98 for seven when the light failed. Major Grose, the Area Cricket Secretary, made a fine 48 not out in which were eight boundaries.

Pay Corps drew with the Civil Service juniors at Sockunpoo after by Shaw put the Engineers on a good and exciting game. Civil-level terms and Homburg then Service scored 124 and the Pay scored the fourth goal, putting the Corps 87 for six wickets.

kets for 49 runs. At first he could most what they liked with the ball, lady athletes in the Colony. not stop him.

got going and the Engineers were up they will go a long way in the for Canada, where she will study a seme beaten by the Central British | tournament.

# The Rest Good Value For SPORTLIGHT Wictory Over The Services

# Cheung Wing-Choi In Form Moxham, Roughley

Defend Well A BIG CROWD WAS PRESENT ON THE CLUB GROUND YESTERDAY TO SEE THE REST OF THE COLONY DEFEAT COMBINED SERVICES

BY THREE CLEAR GOALS IN THEIR ANNUAL

SOCCER MATCH IN AID OF THE POPPY DAY Before the big game, early ar-|cheong, Lai Shiu-wing, Howlett rivals were kept in good spirits by and Hau Ching-to. the annual clash between the

in a draw. Displaying better understanding and combination Rest were the more aggressive side and only the sterling work of Moxham, in goal, The 22nd (F) Coy. Engineers and Roughley, right-back, predescribed beat "A" Coy, of the vented them from running up a

#### Roughley On Form

Roughley played a great game and had the full measure of the nippy winger Hau Ching-to, while Bright worked very hard in the pivotal berth but was given little or no support by the wing halves. The forwards, though good individually, lacked cohesion and seldom worked well as a unit.

For the Rest, Choung Wingchoi was brilliant between the sticks and the fact that the Serlion. Howlett gave a surprisingly good performance and fitted in well into an all-Chinese forward

King-cheong scored for Rest of the Colony.

Roughley, Edmunds; Parnaby, Lavidia, both of whom Bright, Wilkinson; Phippens, Lavidia, both of whom Pearson, Hossack, Saw and Gil-

Rest: - Cheung Wing - choi; Williamson, King-sing; Hsu Chung Yung-sum, Fung King-

Gunners were severely The trounced by the Recreio Bees 42-6 and Royal Scots and Air

Crews taking part are as fol- | \*N the Hong Kong Hockey tournament only one service team 17th A.A. Bty. R.A.; 7th A.A. played over the week-end. The

Signals lost to the Hockey Nomads by two goals to nil and all other matches were cancelled.

At Sookunpoo last week the Engineers defeated the 5th A.A. Regt., R.A., by eight goals to three after being one goal down at the interval.

Despite the big margin by which they won, the game was in doubt until the last 20 minutes. Owing to a very shaky start by the defence the Engineers were, two goals down in the first few minutes of the game. Shortly after this Shaw gave them their first goal but the Gunners soon replied

by scoring a third: This rather shook the Engineers but they then began to liven up, and although their forwards made The Small Units replied with repeated onslaughts on the Gunthe goalkeeper had cleared the ball with a first timer.

Civil Service 123 to win. They had Grosten, one of the Sappers play- en route to Manila. ers, was hit on the leg and had to leave the field; this was not surcasualties!

A grand solo run down the field Sappers in the lead, and after this Young of the Pay Corps did well the Gunners could not stop their with his bowling and took 5 wie- opponents, who were doing al-

not settle down but when he did During the latter part of the finally find his length they could game the ball never left the Gun-OVER the week-end Services more goals to win by eight goals part in University athletics a teams once again could not to three. If the Engineers keep this year ago, will shortly be leaving

The raffle for the ball used in the game was won by ticket No. 202.

#### Annual Tussle

In the curtain raiser, the comferces one-all in a game which in all-round improvements if it did not attain a very high the Club. standard, never lacked exciting moments and the crowd was kept in good humour throughout.

Press netted in the first half ling. run of play the Referees equalis- and O. M. Omar. ed through Ip. A. M. Omar, ran | Referees:—Ford; Fraser, King out to catch a high ball and col- | Kan-piu; Demee, Brackenbury the ball. Ip was left in posses- Taylor and Lee Bing-tong.

Kowloon Indian Tennis Club was held on Sunday, and the following were elected officers for the ensuing year.—President, Mr. Assudamal Vasvani: Vice-Presidents, Messrs. Bhagwan Ditta and Feroz Din; Hon. Secretary, Mr. Ishar Singh Paritam; Hon. Rutherford: L. S. A.-Palmer, Lt. Wat-Treasurer, Mr. Mit Singh; Bar son, Sgt. Manfield; F/Lt. Taylor, S/Lt. Convenor, Mr. Attar Singh; Ten- Beattie; S/Lt. Wilkinson, C. P. O. Wir. nis representative, Mr. Surjan Singh; Hockey representative, Mr. Karnail Singh; Ground representative, Mr. Gurbux Singh; Committee, Messrs. Prem Nath Sharma, Sahib Khan, Rattan Singh, C. S. Garewall and Abdul Azziz.

The retiring President, Mr. Mahan Singh thanked the members for their cooperation bined Press drew with the Re- goodwill, which, he said, resulted

sion and had no difficulty in net-

through Tam Chan-kin. Omar Press:—A. M. Omar; Maher, centred and Fraser headed the Mo Chi-ming: Muk Kan-yue, ball straight to Tam who made Martin, Au Shi-ngok; Turner, A. no inistake. Much against the T. Lee, Tam Chun-kon, Munton

lided with Mo who also went after | Wilson; Carley, Smith, K. K. Ip,

## vices could not score was mainly from Here And There

were han-Cardinals = dicapped in their League played a big part in their recent sensational victory Blackburn, Lee Tin-sang; Pope, Over Wahoos. Miss Fitzgerald is laid up with a bout of malaria, while Miss Lavidia sustained a fractured finger in the inatch against Wahoos.

> Miss Connie Maxwell is the latest recruit to golf. She has been put up for membership at Country Club, Sheungshui.

Maxy Edwards, who pitched Hong Kong Saseballers to victory in their recent match against Recreio, was a member of the Shanghai Buccaneers' sortball team which won the championship in Shanghai recently.

Billy Clague, former member of Hong Kong Baseball Club, has enrolled as a freshman at Leland Stanford University in California, United States. He will be keeping up his baseball and will also be playing golf, at which game he is showing considerable promise.

The many friends of W. E. Peers, former Interport Rugby player, will be interested to learn that he has been given a commission in the Royal Air Force, and is said to have made several trips over Berlin. It will be recalled that Peers, who was in command of the local Volunteer THEV SCOUR AND SCRATCH UNTIL THE Air Arm, joined up soon after | TEETH ARE DULL AND LIFELESS. Don't | that Gibbs does everything a 142 for four wickets, French mak- ners' goal, they were unable to war was declared, with the rank ruin your teeth like that! Use of Pilot-Sergeant.

E. W. Loveless, formerly a keen member of Hong Kong Cricket Half time came with the score Club and who has been stationed with the Civil Service, who scored three goals to two for the Gunners. In Shanghai, passed through the Ten minutes after the re-start Colony in the course of the week

> Johnny Mayhew, one of the prising, in fact the surprising part keenest followers of local baseof it was that there were not more ball, left for San Francisco in the course of the week.

A. O. Barretto, Hon. Secretary of Victoria Recreation Club and one who has done a great deal for local swimming, will be married shortly to Miss Gloria D'Almada e Castro; formerly one of the best

It is learned from a very roners half and the Sappers went liable ource that Miss Freda Salfurther shead getting four mon, who took such a prominent

'There is some talk among memhers of Queen's College Old Boys' Association concerning the revival Amendments of the Rules of the

Lai Shiu-wing (2) and Fung softball fixture on Sunday of the "Ralston Cup" tennis tour- Association. nament, open to members of the by the absence of Betty O.B.A. Matches, it is stated, will mittee for the Season 1940/41. at Causeway Bay if sufficient ent the Annual Dinner. tries are forthcoming.

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# RUGBY K.I.T. CLUB MEETING TEAMS

Following: Navy Rugby teams have been-announced:---Royal Navy versus Police in the first match of the Quadrangular Tourna-

ment on Saturday:-. Tel: Honeywill; Mid. Robinson, Mid. Bucknel, A/Ldg. Tel. Paul and S/Lt. McGill: Lt: Carter (Capt.) and S/Lt.

King and S/Lt. Poole. Wright, A/Ldg. Reserves:—F/Lt. Tel. Bowden, Cadet Lamble, Lt.-Cdr. Clark, Lt. (E). Brown, S/Lt. Carey and L. S. Brewer. . .

Navy "A" versus Club "A" to-morrow kick-off 5 p.m. on Club ground;-P. O. Clough; Marine Rees, S/Lt. Brown, Cadet Lamble and P. O. Skinner; S/Lt: Smith and Lt.-Cdr, Clark, (Capt.); S/Lit. Eager, L. S. Tonns. P/O Baugh, A. B. Grangle, Sig. Gar-| bett, Ord, Sea. Taylor, Cadet Hurley and A. B. Hughes,

Reserves:-Mid. Wood, Tel. Faulkner. E. A. Wilson, S. B. A. Addis, Ldg. Slg.: Mitchell and S/Lt. Thornhill.

The Annual General ing of the Hong Kong Football-Referees' Association will be held at the Hotel Cecil to-day at 8

1. To read and confirm minutes of the last Annual General Meet-

2. To read Chairman's Report. .3. To receive and adopt the Accounts for the Season 1939/40) 4. To incorporate additions and

5. To elect Officials and Com-Combined Services:—Moxham: Fitzgerald and Marina be played on the school's ground 6. To receive suggestions on

7. Any other business\_



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# FURTHER QUAKE TREMORS

Fires Break Out: Rescue Workers Killed

RESCUE BID FAILS

Hopes of saving thirty olive beneath the ruins of the Carlton Building skyscraper appear to have been abandoned.

The last voice has ceased to reply on the telephone line which had enabled the trapped to communicate with rescue workers since the disas-

ter on Sunday. now been asphyxiated,

Latest estimates show that at Jeast 207 people were killed in the Carlton Building alone.

More than a thousand badly damaged houses in Bucharest have been evacuated. Travellers recount that the oil fields are a spectacle of desola-

tion. Hundreds of villages are said to have been razed to the ground. Tens of thousands of peasants are homeless.

News from the provinces adds hourly to the total death-roll. -Reuter.

### HIGH AXIS OFFICERS KILLED

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MANY HIGH GERMAN AND ITALIAN MILITARY -OFFICERS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN KILLED IN THE RUMANIAN EARTH-QUAKE. THE PLOETSI OIL-FIELDS, THE MOST IMPORTANT IN RUMANIA, ARE REPORTED TO BE ON FIRE. - INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

# BUCHAREST Galatz, The Oil Port Suffers Severely

FURTHER EARTHQUAKE tremors were people who were trapped felt in Rumania yesterday. Only slight damage as a result of the fresh tremors is reported in Bucharest itself.

> While rescue workers were busy on the debris of a new block of flats. however, oil tanks in the basement exploded and fires broke out.

A number of rescue workers It is feared that they have were killed and work had to be stopped.

> It is still not possible to form and clear idea of the total number of casualties or damage.

One Bucharest report says that casualty figures are coming in from village after village as communications are gradually restored.

The oil and grain port of Galatz has also suffered heavy damage.

Moscow radio yesterday reported feeling the "strongest shock ever recorded," although no ser- ports spread abroad alleglous damage was done and there ing the ill-treatment of were no casualties. The tremors were particularly severe in South Annamites in Indo-China. Russian cities like Odessa.

Bessarabia and the Ukainc. ---Reuter.

#### WEATHER REPORT

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone is extending eastward and diminishing in intensity. Pressure is relatively low between the Visayas and guam.

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL") Authorised Hanoi circles categorically deny re-

The reports claimed that severe Damage and casualties are re- measures of repression were being ported from a number of points in taken in Indo-China against Annamites coming into contact with the Japanese forces, and some reports even alleged that entire Annamite villages have been burned down because the villagers offered boiled water to the Japanese.

It is also alleged that Annamites greeting the Japanese troops were being arrested. Regarding the report that all Frenchmen in Indo-China between the ages of 40 and 55 were being mobilised and that important military forces are being sent towards the Thai frontier, these same circles deny these allegations.

The French authorities state that—they—are—merely—"taking military measures along the Thailand frontier to meet with the present situation."—Havas.

# AUTOMOBILE LABORATORY

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL" THE FIRST GOVERNMENT AUTOMOBILE RESEARCH LABORATORY IN JAPAN WILL BE CONSTRUCTED SHORTLY OUTSIDE TOKYO, ACCORDING

TO THE "JAPAN TIMES." Two leading companies have supported the plan, donating 1,500,000 yen for the purpose.

The Japanese Government is appropriating 2,500,000 yen for the purchase of equipment, and 500,000 yen for the current year's expenses.

Construction starts shortly, but the plant will not be completed until 1942. — Havas.

### ARMISTICE DAY IN SHANGHAI

(SPECIAL TO "CHINA MAIL") Armistice Day was observed

quietly in Shanghai. In the morning the Fourth U.S. Marines and representatives of various American organisations met at the Cenotaph at 11 o'clock for a 20 minutes' commemnioration service.

They laid wreaths at the memorial while an address was given by the Marines! Chaplain.

An carlier ceremony was held at the Cenotaph when the British and French joined in a common. wreath-laying ceremony.--Havas.

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